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•	SHITMING	INTIMATIONS.  TOURSTMENT OF SAVINGS.	BANKS.  HUONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING		NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.  INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.	INTIMATIONS.
	May 9, Wyvern, British steamer, 1.107, Brotherton, Saigon 5th May, Rice.—Siemseen	Example.  £2 5s. 5d. per monsem if commenced to be paid	PAID-UP CAPITAL	ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY.  the 18th May, 1887, at 2 of took P.M., at the	FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.	CITY HALL, HONGKO
	& Co. May D. Dirmnan, French steamer, 3,528, F Vaquier, Shanghai 7th May, Mails and	50, and if Death occurs before age 50, the sum of £500 is payable to deceased's Estate This	COURT OF DIRECTORS:— Chairman—M GROTE, Esq.	residence of C. J. WHARRY, E-q., M.D., near the Government Civil Hospital.	"TAISANG." having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their	•
•	General.—Messageries Maritimes.  May 10, Port Victor, British steemer, 1,875  A. Williams, Saigon 6th May, Rice and		Deputy Chairman—C. D. Bottom Ley, Esq. Hon. J. Red Irving. E. H. M. Huntington, Esq.	WALNUT CRETONNE COVERED	Goods are being landed at their risk into the	to a substitution of the s

Paddy.-Siemssen & Co. application to the May 10, General Werder, Gorman str., 1,820, BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, W. von Schukmann, Yokohama lat May, Kobe 4th, and Nagakasi 6th, Mails and General.- MELCHERS & Co. 905 - 3May 10. Young Stam, Siamese bark, 640, Kock.

Bangkok 4th April, Rice and Timber --Chinese. May 10, Open, German str., 1.892, F. Pfeiffer Shanghai 8th May, Mails and General.-

MELCHERS & Co. May 10, Zameesi, British steamer, 1,564, C. F. Preston, Bombay via Singapore 22nd April, General -P. & O. S. N. Co. May 10, Fu-v. w, Chinese steamer, 936, Bucha-

nan. Newchwang via Chefoo 5th May, General.-C. M. S. N. Co. May 10, Ashington, British steamer, 809, W Reynell, Newchwang 2nd May, and Chefoo 4th, General.—Siemssen & Co.

May 10, Ningro, British steamer, 791, F. Schulz Whampon 10th May, General.—SIEMSEN

CLEARANCES.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 10TH MAY Visayas, Spanish str., for Amoy. Galley of Lorne, British str., for Kutchinotzu. Clara, German str., for Touron. Teviot, British str., for Saigon. Glenshiel, British str., for Shanghai. Tetartos, German str., for Nagasaki. Glamorganshire, British str., for Hankow. Don Juan, Spanish str., for Amoy. Alvah, British str., for Shanghai.

DEPARTURES. May 10, FREJR, Danish str., for Haiphong. May 10, Don Juan. Spanish str., for Manila. May 10, GALTEY OF LORNE, British steamer, for

Kutchinotzu. May 10, GLENORCHY, British str., for Woosung. \* May 10, Kong Beng, British str., for Bangkok.

PASSENGERS.

Per Wyvern, str., from Saigon .- 9 Chinese. Per Port Victor, str., from Snigon.-Mr. von Neirch and servant, and 12 i hinese. Per Djemaah, str., from Shanghai.-For Hongkong.-Messrs. J. J. Francis, Q.C., D. E. Sassoon, S. J. Danby, J. M. Seudder, E. S. Kadooree, Wilson, F. Byrne, Miss F. Benet, and 3 Chinese. For Saigon.—Mr. Benet. For Port Said.—Rev. Hofman. For Marseilles.— 11r. and Mrs. Sienkiewicz, 4 daughters, and 2 maids, Mr. Cottam, and 1 Chinese.

Per General Werder, str., from Japan.-The Salinger Opera Company (Mr. and Mrs. N. Salinger, Miss Lena Salinger, Mr. H. Salinger, Miss Tilly Saroney, Miss A. Emmett, Mr. A Rigby, Mr. A. Fawcett, Mr. F. D'Este, Mr. P. Wood, Mr. C. Schroeder, and Mr. M. Salinger). Messrs, A. de la Camera, A. J. de Costro, T. Jushi, K. One, N. Yemura, L. von der Osten, M. Teki, S. Sagami, and H. Blook, Mr. and Mrs. F. Nishi and child, and 10 Chinese. Per Fu-yew, str., from Newchwang, &c .- Mrs.

Rylander and child. Por Oder, str., from Shaughai. Mrs Fleis cher and children. Mrs. Schooll and child, Mr and Mrs. Gillies, Mesars. Noventini, Grobien, Land, Mitchell, and Hartwell.

REPORTS.

The British steamer Wyvern, from Saigon 5th May, reports had fine wenther with light N.E. winds throughout.

The British steamer Port Victor, from Saigon 6th May, reports had light S.E. winds and fine weather throughout the trip. The Chinese steamer Fu-yew, from New-

chwang and Chefoo 5th May, reports at 8 p.m. on the 5th it started to blow a gale and continued till the 6th at 4 a.m., when it moderated; 24 thence to port light winds and foggy weather with rain.

The British steamer Ashington, from Newchwang 2nd May, and Chefoo 4th, reports experienced on the 5th strong S.E. wind with (Japanese Fine Art Gallery opposite Hongkong heavy rain and sea; from thence to the 8th fine weather, on the 9th thick fog, the remainder of the passage light wind and fine.

The German steamer General Worder, from Yokohama Ist Mny, Kobe 4th, and Nagasaki 6th, reports the whole voyage almost calm and easfog and heavy rain for 36 hours. The end of the voyage was fair and almost calm.

AMOY SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

28, Faugh Balaugh, Gorman 3-m. sch., from 29, Folien, British str., from Tamsui. 29, Namoa, British str., from Foochow. 29. Glancus, British str., from Hongkong. 30. Diamente, British str., from Hongkong. 30, Thales, British str., from Taiwanfoo. 30, Haiphong, British str, from Hongkong. 30, Louisa, Danish sch., from Nawchwang.

Wenchow, British str., from Newchwang. 5 P.M. Woosung, British str. from Swatow. 2. Lorne, British str., from Hongkong. DEPARTURES. 28, Thales, British str., for Taiwanfoo. . 28. Duburg, German str., for Swatow: 29, G. H. Wappaus, British bk., for Foochow. 29. Visayas, Spanish str., for Manila. 29, Fokien, British str., for Hongkong. 29. Namea, British str., for Swatow. 29. Glaucus, B itish str., for Shanghai. 30. Bantam, Datch str., for Hongkoug. 30 Tetuan, German bark, for Chefoo. 30, Haiphong, British atr., for Foochow. 30, Diamente, British str., for Manila. 30. Thales, British str., for Swatow. 30, Amigo, German etr., for Swatow.

1. Vipere. French g-b., for Yokohama. 2, Ajax, British str., for Hongkong.

NOTICE.

BONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be respectfully informed that, if upon their held at No. 36, Queen's Road, on MONDAY, arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's the 16th instant, at 3 o'clock in the After-Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report | THE PIANOFORTE AND MUSIC WABEHOUSE, sent to the HEAD OFFICE, NO. 14, Praya of the General Manager, together with a State-Central, will receive prompt attention. In the event of complaints being found The REGISTER OF SHARES will be CLOSED necessary, co munication with the Undersigned from THURSDAY, the 12th instant, to MONs requested, when immediate steps will be taken DAY; the 18th instant, both days inclusive, durto rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

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Campbell, Arthur Lloyd, James Fawn, &c... MUSIC SENT ON APPROVAL ON APPLICATION. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hougkong 19th April, 1887.

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A BERS of the above CLUB will be held greatest degree of permanency and are moderate TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), May 12th, at in price.

By Order, GEO. H. SWALES. Hongkong, 29th April, 1887. THE HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY,

LIMITED. NYOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING will be held at the Company's Office in Pedder Street, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 16th day of May, 1887, at 12 of THE CLOCK, NOON. at which the Special Resolutions passed Today will be submitted for confirmation. ISAAC HUGHES.

Scoretary. Hongkong, 30th April, 1887. THE RICHMOND TERRACE ESTATE AND BUILDING COMPANY,

LIMITED. OTICE is heraby given that the ORDIN-ARY YEARLY MEETING of the ment of Accunts to the 31st December, 1886.

ing which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. JOHN WILLMOTT, Secretary. Hongkong, 9th May, 1887. WHISKY

NAPIEE JOHNSTONE'S BLEND, Superb Quality, CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s SELECTION. Apply-to LANE. CRAWFORD & Co.,

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commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Managor. Hongkong, 26th Fobraary, 1887. NOTICE.

TOULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK. 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai

Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.-Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per

annum will be allowed to Depositors on their 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries thomselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the

Bank if marked On Hongkone Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China: 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed 'Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-ING CORPORATION, JOHN WALTER.

Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. ORIENTAL BANK THE NEW CORPORATION, LIMITED. AUTHORISED CAPITAL .....

PAID UP ..... 5 0,000. Reminiscences and Opinions, by Sir F. H. Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET,

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES. THE BANK receives money on Deposit,

Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business 66 TEACONSFIELD," at present occupied generally on terms to be had on application. Interest allowed on Deposits:-

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BANK CORFORATION, in Liquidation, or the BALANCES of such Claims purchased on advantageous terms. Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE | DOOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS.

E. W. RUTTER. Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887.

INTIMATIONS. A FONG. PHOTOGRAPHER

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LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS. FIRST INTERIM BONUS of TWENTY A PER CENT. upon. CONTRIBUTIONS for the year 1886 has This Day been declared. WARKANTS may be had on application at the above Office on and after the 5th Proxime. JARDINE, MATHESON-&-Co.,

General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hungkong 20th April, 1887. NOW READY. TI HE KUNG HO CHIH YU WALTZ. THE FEIROO WALTZES,

R. C. PASSMORE, published by SYDENHAM MOUTRIE. 🚅 Shanghai.. 12th January, 1887. BANGKOK.

UNIVERSAL HOTEL. VILLE Undersigned having taken over the above Establishment are prepared to provide Visitors with the Best Accommodation.

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POBTLAND CEMENT. J.B. WHITE & BROS. Sole Agents for China. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co. - Hongkong, 11th April, 1883.

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DRESSING TABLES, WASHSTANDS

Auctioneers. Hongkong, 9th May, 1887. NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

THAVE THIS DAY Established myself as SHARE and GENERAL BROKER. THOS. I. ROSE. Hougkong, 2nd May, 188... NOTICE.

URING my Absence from the Colony, my Business will be conducted by my Brother MR. JAMES SPENCE LEGGE, who is authorised to Sign my name per procuration. Hongkong, 16th April, 1887. NOTICE.

FIRHE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of the late Mr. GEORG THEODOR SIEMS-SEN in our Firm Coased on the 24th November, 1886, and that of Mr. PAUL GERHARD HUBBE on the 31st December, 188 . Mr. JACOB RUFF has been authorized to Sign our Firm per procuration from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong & China, 14th February, 1887. (401 NOTICE.

VR. ESSABHOY ABDULCADER being about to leave for Bombay, Mr. MOOL-LA ABDULHOOSIEN SHEK CUMROO DIN is authorised to Conduct and Sign my Firm in Hongkong and Canton. ABDULCADER ESMAILJEE. Hongkong, 4th May, 1887.

NOTICE. TESSES HENRYPRINCETENNAN P WILLIAM HOMFRAY FULLER EX-O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "STENTOR," DARBY, and BENDYSHE LAYTON were admitted Partners in our Firm in China and Hongkong on the 1st January, 1887. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 1st April, 1887.

NOTICE. TATE-Have-THIS DAY REMOVED one Queen's Road Central. BIRD & PALMER,

Hongkong, 27th April, 1887.

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Commencing on SATURDAY EVENING, Cargo romaining undelivered after the 13th the 14th May, 1887, nstant, will be subject to rent .

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hougkong, 6th May, 1887. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA Kelly & Walsh's Lid. (Florio and Rubattino United Companies.)

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CATALOGUES will be issued and the Furniture FROM GENOA, NAPLES, MESSINA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN, BOMBAY, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

"BISAGNO." having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF OPIUM AND VALUABLES, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Messrs. MEYER & Co., Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained. -Gonsignoes wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the undersigned before the 13th May, at 5 p.m. or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 13th

Hongkong, 6th May, 1887. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKET FROM GLASGOW, LONDON, PENANG, SINGAPORE, AND SAIGON.

May, at 5 P.M., will be subject to rent at the

CARLOWITZ & Co...

rate of one cent per package per diem.

**TVHE** Steamship. "GLENSHIEL.' having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 16th

inst, will be subject to-rout. -No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 9th May, 1887. TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO

FROM LIVERPOOL. for shipmont per steamer "TELEMACHUS." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 9th May, 1887.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Offices to the 2nd Floor of No. 5, CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer STENTOR," are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Golie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after

the 10th inst. Goods undelivered after the 17th inst., will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 9th May, 1887. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "ULYSSES. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the. Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 5th inst. Goods undelivered after the 12th inst.

Hongkong, 4th May, 1887. UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG, PE-NANG, AND SINGAPORE.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

will be subject to Rent.

FIRE Steamship "ALYAR," 549 Captain Young, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take

immediate delivery of their Goods from along-The steamer is berthed at West Point, Godown, and cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be

Optional cargo will be forwarded on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY, the 7th instant. All claims against the steamer, must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 14th instant, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co.,

Hnogkong, 7th May, 1887. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

ONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected: Ex "LABOURDUNNAIS" and "MELBOURNE." QS in (diamond) 1/3-3 cases Chisels, Augers, &c from London, consigned to Order. .

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 15th April 1887. NOTICE. TCE CREAM, ICE CREAM, ICE CREAM SERVED DAILY AFTER 12 NOON IN ROTISSERIE AND BAR OF

Hongkong, 22nd April, 1887. TIMBER. FITHE Undersigned. Agents for Messrs. E.E. ABRAHAMSON & Co., Sandakan, British North Borneo, are now prepared to

HONGKONG HOTEL.

TIMBERS suitable for Wharves, Building and General purposes. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, 2nd November, 1886. ri'HE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. TEN-MENT, Glasgow, and Messrs. DAVID CORSAR &

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

SONS, Arbroath.

Hongkong, January, 1867.

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Season Tickets for 3 Nights .........\$5. N. SALINGER Business Manager.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY. NOTICE.—JACOB SAYED, of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, having been adjudged Bankrapt under a Petition for Adudication, filed in the Supreme Court of Hougkong in Bankruptey, on the 18th day of April, 1887, is hereby required to surrender himself to ALERED GASCOYNE WISE, Esquire, the Acting Registrar of the said | ourt, at the FIRST MEETING of CREDITORS to be held by the said Acting Registrar on FRIDAY, the 20th day of May, 1887, at 11 O'CLOCK IN THE FORE-

is the Official Assignee, and Messieurs Cald' WELL & WILKINSON are the Solicitors in the A Public Sitting will hereafter be appointed

by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his final examination; and to make application for his discharge, of which sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government Gazette. At the First Meeting of Creditors, the Acting Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors who shall have proved their Debts respectively, or the majority in value of the said Creditors, are hereby directed. to choose at such Meeting an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees Dated the 7th day of May, 1887. CALDWELL & WILKINSON,

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Solicitors in the Matter,

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HENRY I. HOLMES. Solicitor for the Administrator,

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countermanded. Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should be sent before 11 s.m. on the day of publication. Afte that hour he supply is limited.

TELEPHONE No. 12.

HONGRONS, MAY 11TH, 1887. That the Public Health Bill will pass the ground private drain or public sewer, and Yamen, which he reached, after having been last time he saw him he was a policeman and Legislative Council in its present form is be- that no person shall construct any water- roughly handled and stoned by the mob. The | youd all bounds of probability. That a Public | closet or urinal having any communication Health Bill is urgently needed is conceded on with any underground, public sewer, or pri Indo-China S. N. Co. Scottish Oriental S. S. Co. | all hands. It is incumbent on the Govern- | vatedrain, and any such existing water-closets mont therefore to have a new Bill prepared as or uriuals shall be removed by the owner soon as possible—a Bill which, leaving saids upon his being required by the Board to place to kill the fugitive. He eventually suc-The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains the wild and impracticable schemes of the effect such removal. We should like present one, shall embody all its good points know whether it is really intended to de in a workable shape. The Surveyor-Gene- sway with water closets, or whether this who will report on the affair to the proper arranged under one Alphabet in the strictest ral, in his speech in the Legislative Council provision has been introduced into the Bil on Friday, said the authorship of the Bill hap-hazard, which we think is not imwas mainly attributable to the Sanitary probable. If urinals are not to have Board, and the Acting Attorney-General connection with the drains will who fathered the measure and proposed its Survey Department be compelled to refirst reading, and whose duty we should have move the recently erected public urinals thought it would have been to draft it, said which, though not sightly, are very necessary? that direction. Another, that near Ningpo and sud whether His Excellency will retire alto- enough metal left to keep the hole together. It of the college: If they pass final examinations, ... he had had only forty-eight hours in which There are also the urinals in the hotels and up towards Ning-kong-jao he passed and saw in gether into private life, I have been up till now is interesting to read in the Memorial from the and are drafted to stations, they begin at Tis. 10 to seriously take up the consideration of the clubs, which would either have to be remov- near Chapon some fields have been put to the are reported and are, I believe, correct. The fore Hupeh and the Three King provin- by, in addition to free quarters. subject. Needless to say that under these ed or would constitute an intolerable nui- same use. It is evident that the country people young Crown Prince will be declared Com- ces have been required to send 1,200,000 The lines of the State are for Imporial or circumstances the Bill contains many im. sance if the connection with the drains were are going in extensively for the manufacture of mender in chief of all the troops and navy, strings of cash, of 1,0% cash to each string, strategic purposes, and are apart from those of perfections, apart from the great questions cut off. The proposal made in the Bil of policy to which we have already referred strikes us as so extraordinary that we can pire. The effect of this on the trade in foreign the King, will not for him. H. H. Prince each, so that the withdrawal annually of so large necessary for the Government of the Empire in a previous article. The business of the bardly think the section as it stands contains Sanitary Board ought to end when it has the matured views of the Sanitary Board An Anglo-Chinese Calendar, Mean of Barome- stated what it considers should be put in the If it does some explanation will be required Bill; the actual drafting of the measure, on the point when the new Bill is introduced. jection of Sir Robert Hart's proposal to tax na- Phys Muntree, formerly High Commissioner at large cash have been withdrawn by speculators a matter which requires technical knowtorney-General. We may give one instance of the technical imperfections of the Bill. chin-China are officially called bourses de com-Section 27 gives the Governor in Council power to close Chinese cameteries : secthe Chambers of Commerce of Hongkong, unauthorised ground; section 29 makes the 25th inst. the penalties cumulative; section 30 gives power for the removal of infected persons section 31 provides for the disposal of night p.m. yesterday for this port. provide dust-boxes. For anything that ap-Countries embraced within the scope of the pears to the contrary these sections are to be from France to take the place of the missing ceedings, says :- The mixed character of the in force permanently, and there is every come to section 34, which provides that whenever any part of the Colony appears to inst. for this port, be threatened with, or is affected by any Chefoo, with Additional Article formidable epidemic, endemic, or contagious inform us that the O.S.S. Co.'s steamer Telema- chairs, sofas, mirrors, and sideboards with mardisease, the Governor with the advice of the chus, from Liverpool, left Singapore yesterday ble tops. As the hall was barely sufficient to

Executive Council may by proclamation direct that the provisions contained in sections 27 to 32-both inclusive be put in force. If they are already in force there can be no necessity for a proclamation. We are therefore driven to the inference that these sections are not to be in force permanently, and that except in times of epidemic people may dispose of night soil as they think proper and bury corpses anywhere, which is absurd It would be useless to ask the Legislative Council to go into committee on such a hope-Committee to do the work of the draftsman. There are several important questions which might with advantage be further discussed before a new Bill is introduced. We the efforts which are being made by the Han-Rules of H.B.M. Supreme and other Courts shall take these seriatim as they are aug. kow lekin authorities to improve the lekin ad gested by the present Bill. First, as to the ministration and reduce expenses. A graduated constitution of the Shuitary Board. It is bottom of it. provided that the Board shall consist of the Surveyor-General, the Registrar-General, Regulations for the Consular Courts of United the Captain Superintendent of Police, the Colonial Surgeon, and not more than five additional members, three of whom shall be & Co. She has not, so far, passed Anjer. appointed by the Governor, one elected by the Chamber of Commerce, and one by the Customs and Harbour Regulations for the dif- Justices of the Peace. Sanitation is a matter ferent ports of China, Philippines, Siam, &c. in which every bouseholder in the colony is rate be enlarged? There are a great number of persons who are not members of much entitled to a voice in municipal matters Geo. Thirkell, proprietor and editor of the flowers previous to his leaving the hall. The as those who are. The whole of the solicitors article published in that paper some months ago are excluded from the electorate as fixed in and having reference to the Admiral's presence the present Bill, so are most of the store- thousand dollars.—N. C. Daily News. keepers, and many others. There ought also to be some provision for securing the active co-operation of the Chinese. The aspitation | mer from Shanghai and the latter from Amoy. of the city is a matter in which to some The Nautilus, the Express says, is at the Mitsu NORTHERN& Hall & Holts Co-operative Co. extent persuasion should precede or go upon the completion of which she will proceed to for a Select Committee to inquire into Mr. band in hand with compulsion, and in which it is desirable to educate the natives up to our own way of thinking. One or two Chinese members on the Sanitary Board would not only be able to place the with a host of their secretaries, underlings, and Board in possession of the views of their countrymen, in itself a very important matter, but would also be calculated to create amongst the Chinese some interest and confidence in the proceedings of the Board. Dr. the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held Ho Kar is a member of the present Board. and it may be the intention of the Govern-

> rather than of grace. By section 13 of the Bill the Board is au-

ment always to confer one or more of the

seats at their disposal on Ohinese, but this

is a case in which we think representation

should be conceded as a matter of right

thorised to make bye-laws for, amongst The Peking correspondent of the N. C. Daily other things, the compulsory reporting of Victoria And Hon. James Campbell, of infectious, contagious, or communicable dis- He had an opportunity of describing the preeases, and by section 30 it is provided that an sent condition of the Chinese in Australia to infected person may be removed to bospital bell is a native of Millport, Scotland. He is if-he-is-ledged in a tenement occupied proceeding to Europe vid Japan, the Amoor, by more than one family. Similar provisions have been found of the greatest possible benefit in some towns in England. But how is the reporting of infectious has a right, when he meets a ship of his own report. The Obinese are not, with few exceptions, attended by European doctors, and as for Chinese doctors, they are unregistered and therefore inaccessible, and they are, moreover, for the most part incapable of making The principles only by which the revision is to be guided are settled, but there are some details a diagnosis. It strikes us, therefore, that however desirable it may be to have infectious powers, and these have been left undecided for Mr. Crawford's house to enquire, when two dogs 122 disease reported it will be found absolutely impossible to make the reporting compulsory. Section 25 gives power to seize un- returned here yesterday by the German mail wholesome food, but this power is only to be have given a series of performances, and will give exercised between the hours of six in the a short season of three nights in the Theatre morning and six in the evening. this limitation? Unwholesome food will announced for Saturday next, when Gilbert and not be less injurious if sold after 6 p.m., and many Chinese shops are kept open until nearly midnight. There is only one other point on which we propose Some years ago there was a great deal of value of \$40. The man is the owner of a small discussion about the bucket system. When drainage is defective the bucket system is: the only safe way of disposing of excretal to the amount named. natter, but we believe most of the European residents have been looking forward to the time when the drainage would admit of the fixing of water closets. But the present Bill perpetuates the bucket

system. It is provided that no privy shall have any communication with any under-

The French flugship Turenne left Nagasaki for Yokohama via Kobe on the 27th April. The licensed gambling houses in French Co-

The Russian corvette Vitia2(10), Captain Ma

The M. M. steamer Anadur, with the French

morning for this port.

Chiarini's circus, after a successful run at Na-Maru on the 29th April.

The U.S.S. Omaha and Palos left Nagasaki for Yokohama on the 1st instant. Previous to purpose of testing the repairs to her shaft.

Moyune on the 8th, and the Anchises on the 9th. | globes, and the entire facade and contours of the The water was still reported to be very low. less muddle. It is not the business of the Sunday a large snake (Ular Sawah) was taken ated with rows of buttee lamps tastefully ar-

in a fewl pen in the country and brought to the ranged in various devices, and were also decormeasured about fourteen feet in length. A leading article in the Shén-pao describes

Grave doubts are entertained, says the N. C. Daily News, regarding the safety of the Thomas N. Hart, which left New York on the 16th May last year for Shanghai. She was loaded with teresine oil, and consigned to Mesara. Pustan

gasaki from Singapore on the 2:th April with a full cargo of naval and military stores on board. She was reported, says the Nagasaki Empress, to be under charter to the Chinese Government.

on the lst instant. and motives in Korea. Damages are laid at one

The German gunboats Nautilus and Wolf arrived at Nagasaki on the 27th April, the for-Bishi Co.'s engine works, undergoing repairs, the East African Station. The Wolf will re-

main about a fortnight. Scratch races took place at Peking on the 28rd April. There was a large attendance, and three of the Ministers of the Foreign Office a strong body of soldiers were on the ground. years previously, but owing to the success of this meeting an autumn meeting is now spoken of. The following are the Orders of the Day for

on Friday:-1.—To go into Committee on the following Bill:— An Ordinance to smend and consolidate the law relating to Jurora." 2.-Third reading of the following Bills:fa.)-An Ordinance to enable the Trustees of the Rhenish Missionary Society to sell and dispose of certain leasehold property within the colony of (b.) -An Ordinance for the naturalisation of Chan

Kwok Ying.

ing to various Licences.

(c.)—An Ordinance to consolidate the law relatactive measures to suppress the insurrection.

His Excellency the Marquis Tsing. Mr. Com-

A correspondent of the Straits Times, a strongheaded British subject, wishes to know whether a foreign master in command of a British ship disease to be enforced amongst the country, to haul down the British flag and to hoist the flag of his country. This was done re-Chinese? In England, if we are not mis- cently by the commander of the steamer May taken, the doctors are compelled to make the Flower when he met the German mail steamer

A considerable number of the foreign Min-Revision Conference having come to a close. on which Japan is not in accord with the treaty

Salinger's English Opera Bouffe Company steamer General Werder from Japan, where they Royal, City Hall. The opening performance, as will be seen from the advertisement elsewhere, is Sullivan's fairy opera "Tolanthe", will be placed on the boards.

Yesterday morning a man laid a charge at the Contral Police Station against certain persons not in custody of having piratically attacked touch, and it is a rather important one. his junk and stolen therefrom goods to the junk which left Shankiwan in order to buy salt fish. When he had got as far as Fat-tou-mun he was attacked by some men in another junk who assaulted him and robbed him of property

From Ngankin we (Courier) learn that some d sturbance has lately taken place in Anhwei province, resulting in the demolition of a Catholic other literations said to have been the instigators. They hired some 50 coolies, who pulled down the house occupied by the missionary in charge of the station, and threatened to kill him. The latter made his escape to the mandarin's mandarin would at first not allow him to enter his premises, but on the missionary refusing to leave the same, he was finally escorted to a place situated some miles from the scene of the dis turbance. There, however, immediately placards were posted, requesting the populace of the ceeded in making good his escape to Ngankin, where, as we understand, the matter is being investigated by a missionary residing there

People who have been making holiday trips during the moes, says the N. C. Daily News, report a greatly increased cultivation of the poppy the in various districts. One gentleman says that about Kashing the quantity of land new govered

ing of the price of imported and native drug may take the place of Chow-fa-ong-noi as Min- the province. This is not the only cause of the while, but in the meantime the Empire has conhave results which will be far from satisfactory ister of Posts and Telegraphs. H. H. Chow present scarcity of cash. A certain quantity is structed and maintains the lines undermentionto the honest opponents of the opium trade and Sai will take the place of the eldest son of the actually worn away every year, of the small cash. ed: to the Peking Government. Considering the re- Kalahome as Superintendent of the Navy. H. E. by fair wear and tear; a certain quantity of the tive opium, and the extension of poppy cultiva- Chiengmai, will go as Ambassador to London, and melted down, as being intrinsically worth tion, we should find no more denunciations of and H. E. Phys. Vyput, formerly Foreign Mi- more as copper than their exchange value qua opium in Peking Gazettes and other official doon- nister of the late second King, will go as Am- the tael; and a certain quantity contain vir-

Sir Dinshaw Vaneckjee Petit, Kt., the chief promoter of the cotton mill industry at Bombay who was knighted on the occasion of the celebration of the Queen's Jubilee in India, has re karoff, arrived at Yokohama from Honolulu on fellow citizens. On the 2nd April, in accordance with a resolution passed by the representative members of the European and native commail of the 8th April, was to leave Saigon at 4 munities at a meeting held a mouth previously. he was presented with a public address, and was entertained at the Town Hall in a style and on The Nagasaki Express says the Japanese Go. a scale apprecedented in the history of the city vernment has decided to order a new man-of-war The Times of India, in its account of the proassembly, composed of Europeans and all the different nationalities residing in this great The Agents (Messrs. Siemssen & Co.) inform commercial city, was a clear and positive inus that the D. D. R. steamer Iphigenia, from dication of the high regard and esteem in Hamburg, left Singapore at 2 p.m. on the 9th which Sir Dinshaw Petit is held by the vast and varied population of this city. The spacious hall was transformed into a magnificent saloon The Agents (Messre Butterfield and Swire) being furnished in a lavish style with gilt hold the surging mass of about two thousand guests, the front verandah was utilized, being also gaily decorated and furnished for the occagasaki for four days, left for Tientsin in the sion. The Town Hall and its precincts were Nippon Yusen Kaisha's chartered steamer Owari brilliantly illuminated. In the main hall were suspended numerous chandeliers with caudle lights, in addition to the ordinary gas jets. The entire length of the verandah was also lighted leaving the Palos made a short trial-trip for the with chandeliers, and on the steps were arranged pyramids of buttee lights, the space between which was carpetted with scarlet cloth leading to The Glenogle and Benlawers were to leave the main entrance of the hall. The two sides Shanghai for Hankow on the 7th inst. the of the steps were lined with hundreds of glass buge building was picked out in coloured lanterns, and presented a beautiful spectable. The Elphin-The Straits Times of May 2nd says :- Last stone Circle and the gardens were also illumin-Office of the Superintendent of Police. It ated with flags and bunting. The scene as viewed from Church Gate Street was fairy-like and reflected great credit on the members of the entertainment committee. Two musical bands, the East Yorkshire Regiment and the Marine Battalion bands, were engaged for the delectation of the guests, and they played some selecsystem of rewards and punishments is at the tions during the evening. Sir D. M. Petit accompanied by his two sons, Messrs. Framjee and Bomonjee, arrived at the Town Hall at about 10 p.m., and was received on the steps by the members of the committee. He was loudly cheered by the guests, as well as by the large number of people who had collected in th street. Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, Bart., C.S.J. led Sir Dinshaw on to the platform, and The French steamer Bordcaux arrived at Na presented him with the address which has been prepared, and which congratulated the recipient on the honour conferred upon him by the Queen-Empress. Sir Dinshaw Maneckjee Petit having responded, the assembly adjourned directly interested. Could not the electo- After coaling she cleared for Tientain and left, for refreshments, which were served in the Durbar room and on the verandah in the rear of the building. Sir Dinshaw's toast was drunk with Rear-Admiral Shufeldt of the U.S. Navy great enthusiasm. Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy deeither of the bodies named but who are as has commenced proceedings against Mr. Jng. corated Sir Dinshaw with a huge garland of

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." London, 7th May. PARLIAMENTARY INTELLIGENCE

The House of Commons negatived the motion Gladtsone's statement relative to the Times. Mr. Edward Clarke's amendment was adopted declining to treat the matter as a breach of

Lord Salisbury, speaking at a banquet, said he believed that the nation would some time here Races had not been held at the capital for several after by a sharp expression of opinion stop the grotesque and melancholy force that is now playing in the House of Commons.

> HAVAB TELEGRAMS IN BAIGON PAPERS. THE SCHNÆBEL AFFAIR. The European Press express entire satisfaction with the solution of the Schnebel affair.

AN INSURRECTION IN CRETE. An insurrection has broken out in Crete. The extent of the movement is not known at present The Turkish Government is taking the most POLICE COURT. 10th May.

Barona Ma. H. E. Wodshouse

HAWRING KEROSINE WITHOUT LICENCE. Worg You San was charged with hawking kerosine oil without a licence on 10th inst. Lan Sin Sin, P.C. 282, stated that at 11.30 s.m. he saw defendant carrying kerosine for sale, in the Lyndhurst Terrace. The kerosine was not in properly labelled tine. Defendant was fined \$15 or three weeks' imprisonment with hard labour. He was imprisoned.

REEPING A PEROCIOUS DOG. Mr. D. R. Crawford, of Queen's-road, was summoned at the instance of a chair coolie for isters to Japan are going away on leave this suffering a ferociona dog to be at large and unsummer, says the N. C. Daily News, the Treaty muzzled. The complainant stated that he was a chair

coolie to Lieut.-Col. Hughes. On 8th inst. he was sent with a letter to the Harbour Office at the Peak. Not knowing the place he went to rushed out at him and one bit him on the left arm. The people in the house did not attempt to prevent the dog from attacking him. Defendant denied that the dog was ferceious. It was in the habit of playing with the chil-

Plaintiff expressed himself willing to take a dollar, which the defendant, offered as compensation, and his Worship thereupon dismissed

HEAVY SENTENCE FOR PETTY LARCENY. Pang Lun, coolie, was charged with stealing on the 10th May about 2oz. of sugar, the property of the China Sugar Refining Com-

Defendant admitted the charge. He was sentenced to seven days' imprisonmen with hard labour. PERSONATING A CONSTABLE. Wong Afok, beatman of sumpan 1,904, was

charged with unlawfully personating a Police

Constable and demanding money, with menaces, rom Ng Achai No Achai stated that he was owner of the sampan 1.810. On the 8th inst, about 9 p.m. ho was lying alongside Government Wharf, when missionary station. A high mandarin and two he saw defendant on the wharf. He was wearing white trousers and a policeman's cape. On the 10th inst. at about 8 a.m. he was at Messrs. Butterfield & Swire's steamer. He then saw defendant come alongside the steamer in his: sampan. He remarked to the defendant that the that now he was a boatman. Defendant said nothing, but lauded at the wharf and went away. He (Ng Achai) also landed. In a short time defendant returned with a number of other men and said he had insulted him, and unless he raid him \$2 he would take him to the Police Station. A constable came up and he gave defendant

> Defendant denied both counts of the charge His Worship committed him for trial at the Supreme Court.

with poppies is immense compared with that of Kalahome, Prime Minister of Siam, has again farther merit of preventing the coin from wear- Tlay 2 or more; some more beginners have but last year, and extends all over the country in sent in his resignation; how far it is accepted, ing away altogether, as there must always be T1. I per mansom. All are well fed at the cost the district large tracts similarly covered, and mable to ascertain, but the following changes | Vicercy of the Hu Kwang provinces that hereto- per month pay, but may rise to \$50 wages month native opium, and it is highly probable that they and whilst a minor, the Celestial Prince annually to Peking, and that more than half of the Chinese Telegraph Company. Probably, are doing so in most suitable places in the Em. Chow fa ong noi, and second full brother of the lekin and salt duties in Hupeh are paid in as a complete service of telegraphs is absolutely pium will no doubt be great, and the cheapen- Prisdang, formerly Ambassador to Paris, will a sum for Peking has been a grievous burden on some new arrangement will be made after a

the eastern provinces, a decrease of nearly one- that private mints will be started in all directions and Wr. C. Poulsen as Assistant Director.

third. These provinces have been for the last tions, as has been hitherto often done even with the started in all directions. two years under new rule, and several experi- the connivance of the provincial authorities. ments have been carried out to which is due this amentable result.

1985—\$5,741,128. 1896—\$5,134,978. A very significant fact to note is an increase in of silver, or tael. Attempts were made in Shangthe import of articles which were formerly ex- hai in 1856 to introduce a tael coinage, and specicorted from Siam as Beteluut, Besswax. Sugar, I mens were actually made: but the world is agreed in Cocoanuts, Molasses, &c., &c.; nothing can il- that a tael of silver makes a coin too large for and glaze, and in China there are abundant ustrate better where over-taxation leads to, than convenience, and that the largest practicable raw materials suitable for the purpose. Foothow these imports; it proves that Siam will frem silver coin is the dollar, which is equal roughly poles are generally used in China, but in Manvear to year become less able to compete with to seven tenths of a tiel. Native dollars were churis and Kirin there is abundant wood, which nations around her and perhaps in the not distant actually made in Fukien some fifty years ago was used for the service. future, when the Protected States on the Malayan I for the payment of the troops in Formosa. They Peninsula, Burmah, and especially Cambodia, will i contained seven made two candareens of silver: be in a settled and prospering state, wholesale but they were either melted, says Dr. Wil- fairly good operator with eight months pracemigration from Siam will take place. The im- liams, or counterfeited to such an extent tice, and in eighteen months is fit to take charge

FROM SINGAPORE. Betelnut..... Beeswar Sugar ..... 30,194 Cocoanuts ...... 30,13 **\$8,828 \$73,804** Sugar .....

The experts of rice have been in 1885 \$3.648.615.

The exports of rice from Saigon, Lower | dollar, not the tael, will be the unit. The dollar whole only a slight increase.

hibitants is just as high. The export of bullocks which up till now es- adhere to their own task.—N. C. Daily News.

caped taxation shows a good and steady increase, which certainly would not have taken place it farmers would have had their fingers in it. It was as follows:-

In 1883, 8,335, head. ,, 1884, 10,537, ,, ., 1835, 12,654, ... , 1886, 14,141, ,... The prospects for Siam have not been brigh

for the last fifteen years. Trade has been etationary, finances in the greatest disorder; army, navy, police and all sorts of civil departments not paid for 6 to 19 months, debts in all directions. The population in slavery or bound to, work for Government, are impoverished by the administration of justice. Siam hopes with all this to keep a rank amongst other nations. In bringing again and again the poor retrograding state of trade and finances before the

state, your correspondent is considered by a cer- all foreign, (as are about one-half of the general tain class of men who are turning the wheels of trade advertisements, and of the sale or lease of government, as an enemy to the country, at least | houses); and as such must be excluded from our thom, but in asking to get any facts pointed out | ments some 90 per cent. are pure Chinese. If know, and all experiments made for the last few by 20 per cent, and pharmacy by 37 per cent. years have only made matters worse.

for Chantaboon.

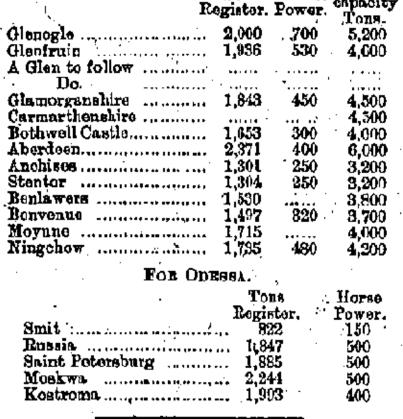
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respondent.

PROBABLE STEAMERS TO LOAD A -HANKOW-WITH NEW\_TEAS.

The following is taken from Messrs. Wheelook Co.'s Freight Market Report, dated the 5th

For London.



THE CHINESE CURRENCY.

The Peking Gazettes of late have been filled with Memorials on the subject of the only native coinage in China, the copper cash. It is an avidance of revival of business in China generally that this useful commodity has become so scarce that great efforts are being made all over the Empire to increase the supply. To a foreigner it seems strange that so large and wealthy a was formerly in the city, has been removed to country should have no more valuable coinage, the French settlement, and is now settled at the and the absence of a silver or gold currency is rear of the Chinese Admiralty building. The explained by Dr. Williams in his Middle King- college, which was founded at the end of the dom in a way which is not very flattering to the | year 1880, has now passed the radimentary stage Government. He says:-- "The Government on of its existence. It now holds from 45 to 50 the one hand is not strong enough to restrain pubils. counterfeiters, and not honest enough on the other hand to issue pieces of uniform standard | President is Chang Taotai, who is associated for a series of years till it has obtained the with Sha Taotvi. The principal foreign Presi-

the consequence is that many reductions in the of the Tung-men-kuan of Peking.

tually no copper at all, and are from time to So the party of Princes have nearly all time condemned. A great effort is being But when every provincial capital is brought the important places in government. Let made now by the Government to replenish into communication with Paking the service us hope this may be for the benefit of all. the currency; copper is being bought and mints must assume very large proportions, so that Grave fears are expressed that by experiments established in all directions, and it remains to the Tientsin college and the affiliated secondary to raise new and greater revenues, trade-will be seen whether a uniform ourrency of full school in Shanghai are but the beginnings of value will result. The difficulty is that if too things. The college and the government lines At all events the Custom House returns show much copper is put in the new cash, they will in the chief exports from Chantaban, pepper, be withdrawn and melted down; if too little, now two heads; one for the college and another gamboge and cardamons which only come from the coin is so rude, and so easily counterfeited, for the lines, with Taotai Chanas Harl Director

> Meanwhile recommendations are often made to the Government that it should undertake the present scarcity of gold, the idea of a gold coindebated, but the tael was allowed to carry the fore long there will be other pupils of equal comday, and we have had virtually two currencies, or petence to undertake and complete work rather three, ever since. Our domestic affairs. commercial affirs with taels. We are used to

Cochin-China, and Cambodia with not quite is firmly established all round China. Japan stand the severe alternations of climate, the cold half the inhabitants of Sism amounted in has adopted it—though this perhaps will hardly 1866, to 2,270,654 and in 1884, 8,580,144 picula, be a recommendation,—Hongkong, the Philipwhilst in Siam the exports of rice show on the pines, the Straits Settlements, and French Indo-China. The replacement of the tack by the The whole revenue of Siam, with her 6 to 7 dollar would, however, be such a wrench to the millions inhabitants taxed and squeezed as much | conservatism of Peking, that we cannot expect as officials and farmers can get out of them, is lit to occur in our time; and when the Chinese estimated at less than £1,000,000, and the re- do come to adopt a silver currency, they may be venue of Lower Cochin-China with 1,800,000 in- in a position to dictate to, instead of following the countries round them, and may decide to

CHINESE ADVERTISEMENTS

The N. C. Daily News, in an article on Chinese advertising and sociology, gives the following analysis of the advertisements in a copy of the Hu-pao taken at random :---Advertisements of native theatres ........ 2 per cent.

Manila and Macao lottories 18 per cent. Miscellaneous ......11 per cent

The auction sales and announcements of the public, and pointing out what leads to such a departure of steamers are, of course, all or nearly I have heard this expression very often used by speculations. But of the rest of the advertisewhich I reported incorrectly or how they think then, out of this remainder we find literature reto get out of their troubles, nobody seems to presented by 10 per cent, the gambling element are we not justified in drawing some conclusions The French subsidized steamer line between as to the proclivities of the Chinese? Of course Saigon and Bangkok via Chantaboon and Com- | we do not mean to assert that ene-fifth of the bodia is working at present, the steamer Loire nation are gamblers, or more than a third con-

rive about the 9th of his companied on own yacht. I hear he will be companied on his voyage to Europe by I. Minister, Mr. begun to feel the effect of the licensing, by Ernest Satow, C.M.G. !!! L. Straits Times Cor- the Provincial Authorities of the Two Kwang, of the wei-haing lotteries, demand for their goods diminishing in proportion as their customers' money is squandered; and the attractions of the Manila lottory cannot be less prejudicial.

Examined in detail the medical advertisements

bear out our theory. A fair proportion of them announce cures for opium smoking (this should please Mr. Storrs Turner and the Society of which he has been till lately the energetic secretary); a large number puff tonics and aphrodisince; while many proffer cosmetics, and a few. cares for the evils caused by footbinding. Advertisements connected with the Mauila and Macao lotteries (the latter somewhat auriously as it sounds to us, known as the "White Pigeon" are chiefly interesting from their number, but are occasionally enlivened by free denunciations of dishonest agents. The fashion of gibbating an enemy in an advertisement column is one. as far as we know, in which the Chinese are singular. In the days when a vernacular press was not, every man who felt himself wronged and was assured,—being moneyless—that he could obtain no redress from the law, forthwith issued a placard, and posted it for all to see. Not only was this done to remedy, or avenge. a private wrong, but even officials, if their acts were harsh and unpopular, were paraded in a doggerel lampeon, or consured in more scholarly prose! This is still the case all over the Empire; but in the area in which the native press circulates, its advertisement columns have been freely availed of for these purposes. Hence it is that they, more even than the ageny column of the Times, or Charles Reade's favourite Tiser, repay intelligent study, and this is why we have commended them to the conscientious sociologist.

THE IMPERIAL CHINESE TELE. GRAPH COLLEGE AT TIENTSIN.

The Imperial Chinese Telegraph College, which

The Head Director is Taotai Chou Fu. The confidence of its subjects. It will not re-ident of studies is Mr. C. Poulsen, a Danish ceive base metal for taxes, and cannot force gentleman, formerly electrician in the service merchants to accept adulterated coins." Rich of the Great Northern Telegraph Company country as China is, it is a country full of Copenhagen. With him as associate, is of poor people, and it is a great ad- Mr. V. Culmeec, a Dinish gentlemin also. vantage to the poor to have a currency like the formerly in the service of the same Danish Comeash. The smallest coin in England is a far- pany as electrician. The third in command is thing, which is equivalent to about six cash; and Mr. Na San, a Pekingese, pupil of Dr. Martin

wholesale prices of goods are never felt by the The pupils vary in age, some are but 16 years poor in England, because on the quantity that old, others are 21, and two or three have 24 years. a poor man buys at one time, the reduction is less | They come from the various provinces, and are than a farthing; whereas a very small reduction | well educated youths of good families. They in the wholesale price will reach the poor man behave well, are orderly, decile and managrable. in China, who buys with cash. In Shanghai, and, as a rule, attend diligently to their duties, the hot water shops, for instance, go down to a learn quickly, and show aptitude and intellihalf cash and even a quarter cash in their trans- gence. While in college, under strict supervision. actions, the latter, sum being equivalent to about their performance of duty is excellent and indeed

one-hundredth of a pauny. Dr. Williams does some of the lads are in skill superior to the avernote last fortnight brought us it seems great of the hole in the middle of the coin, which adds necording to their professional againstic at the column of the hole in the middle of the coin, which adds necording to their professional againstic at the column. changes in the Siamese Government. The so much to its convenience, and which has the varying pay: some draw Tls. 8 monthly others

Tie itsin to Port Arthur; to Koren; to Pacting-fu;

to Moukden: and besides constructed the line to Kaiping

So far publis are only trained as op waters or constructive engineers; and do not manufacture instruments or fittings, as all meterials and instruments are brought from Europe. In the service The Custom House Returns for 1886 show on preparation of a coinage of the precious metals, the articles used have been carefully selected and the whole a very striking decrease in exports as but it is by no means agreed what the cur- in accord with the usage of Turope and the renoy should be. We may dismiss at once as United States. The instruments are mostly of The Imports have been as follows, opium and impracticable, and undesirable considering the Siemens-Morse methods, but a variety of other methods are in use, as required for the service to age. Next to the coppor cash comes the ounce be performed. The insulators are imported, but probably a good material will soon by makingt the Poyang potteries fit for use. The Japanese make excellent insulators from Japanese clays

It is found, as a rule, that after two venes\_\_\_ preliminary preparation a student can become a ports of the above mentioned produce have been on their appearance, that they soon went of a station. In three years he, generally, can out of circulation. When Shanghai was first act as a competent construction engineer. One opened to trade, a great opportunity was lost of the pupils, trained at the school, has erected of making the dollar the currency of North some long lengths of line in excellent style withas it is of South China. The matter was actually out European supervision or assistance, and be-

On entering the college the youths learn Engand our dealings with the poorer classes of na- lish, reading and writing, and, from English tives are conducted with copper cash; our social class books, go through a strict course of and retail dealings with dollars; and our higher geography, arithmetic, algebra, mathematics, composition, and acquire, in addition, other it, and therefore the inconvenience and anomaly branches of a fair general education. - They 1886 \$3.618,497 showing an insignificant decrease. of such a state of things are not found irksome; then pass to the training rooms, which are Siam should look at her neighbours, Lower but it is nevertheless a most unreasonable filled with instruments to represent long or Burmah, and Cochin-Chins, and what has been condition of affairs. If Poking is ever per- short lines with terminals and intermediate done in those countries to push on cultivation | suaded to undertake a silver currency uniform for stations in accordance with actual practice. The the whole Empire, it is to be hoped that the principal instrument used is the Siemens ink storms, and electrical conditions of the atmos-The line to Shanghai is worked by this nstrument, the distance is 2,600 li, and there is no manual retransmission, as at the mid lie station of Chiming there is an admirable automatic mechanical arrangement which makes the two sections work as one by so-called "electric translation." The instrument therefore answers effi-

The technical course is careful and complete. The text book used is Poulsen's "Electric Telegraphy," a most admirable and practical manual. With the study of this book are associated practice in sectional testing, electric measurements, etc., also lessons in Schwendler's tangent galvanometer, the differential galvanometer. and Wheatstone's bridge. The young men go through a course explanatory of various systems of telegraphy, of double ourrents, duplex and quadruplex transmissions, magnetic electricity, telephony, etc. Furthermore, surveymedicines and medicoss......30 per cent. ing, construction of lines, station building and new books and new editions 13 per cent. fitment, etc., are taught, and as new inventions are made known, practical explanations and teachings are given so that the pupils really receive a sound progressive and scientific train-

The college thus has begun well, and its future is most promising, and if, as heretofore, a careful selection of youths is made so as to secure well behaved, doule and apt pupils, the Chinese telegraph service will prove in all ways able to carry on the widening service of the Empire, which already musters a staff of about 200 young telegraph clerks, who have almost all received their education in the Imperial College.-Chi-

A ROYAL CREMATION AT BANGKOK.

Bangkok has been en fole for the last eight Inferieure arrived on the 19th, and leaves to-day firmed dyspeptics, but still that these figures do days, says the Banghok Times of the 30th April, bear some relation to the actual tendencies of the the occasion being the cremation of H. R. H. It is a boat carrying some 800 tons dead Chinese of, at any rate, Shanghai is patent to the late Somdetch Chowta Mahamala, Somdetch weight, and has in her between decks splendid all. One thing at least may be deduced from Krom Phrah Bamrap Parapaks, uncle to His accommodation for deck passengers. The service them by our merchants,—it is a deduction, in- Majesty the King. The festivities, long in prewill be at first every 20 days, and later on prob- deed, that has long been drawn, and we believe paration, began on Saturday morning, when the ably every fortnight, the subsidy is 134,000 successfully soted upon, by at least one enter- whole city around the Palace, was astir from an prising firm of druggists, -namely, that if there early hour with strains of martial music, an-H. R. H. Prince Dewawonges, Minister of is an opening in China for new foreign goods nonnoing that the troops were converging toforeign affairs, will leave on the 5th of May to more promising than another, it is one best filled | wards the newly erected Premane, the building take the congratulations of H. M. the King of by the manufacturing chemist. A further con- in which the public ceremony was arranged to Siam for the Queen's Jubilee: H. R. H. will ar- clusion, that their desired contomers are gamblers, take place. As usual much lavish display has been made in connection with this ceremony, the estimate is so given in the prospectus as to posting the arrangements for the cremation, the public. and then withdraw.

On Sunday the festivities continued, with the usual theatrical performances and electric illumination at night, and on Monday a very grand and imposing review was held of all the troops at present in Bangkok who marched past the King in the usual order The Infantry advanced in columns of double companies, then the Cavalry and Artillery trotted past, and finally charged. Various manœuvres of an interesting nature were executed and the troops afterwards advanced in review order; saluted, and were dismissed. Full dress was worn by the Europeans present at this ceremony, but luckily the day was cloudy.

Earlier in the day the urn containing the remains of the illustrious dead had been conveyed formed rapidly as a wide stream flowed from the placed with great ceremony in the Premane. of road metal and debris of all kinds were washed white, with the King at their head, were present and took part in the religious rites performed way traffic was stopped on the Parramatta line. by the priests, after which His Majesty distri-buted presents all round. A grand display of fireworks took place at night, as also every sub-choked. Damage to stock and furniture is resequent evening, whilst theatrical performances ported from all parts of the suburbs. Business and all kinds of shows were provided for the people in George-street west were specially suf- May:-For London-110,607 lbs. cong

the enclosure has all the week presented a most most a miraculous escape. brilliant sight, and seen from a distance it appeared as if some fairy city had uddenly sprung

was most effective. made an imposing picture. Towards 5 o'clock that such a large quantity as two inches actually wards advanced to the funeral cortege and lit remembered that violent rainstorms like that chanted hely Buddhist hymns. Princes and strange irregularities, and it is quite possible taper or lighted rod of incense to the funebral and suburbs was far heavier than on the western

consumed. After the King had returned to the Premane presents were liberally distributed amongst those in attendance. Bags full of nuts, each nut containing a number entitling the owner to the presents displayed in a side room, were lavishly thrown amongst the people. Some draw very valuable prizes, amongst which were dinmond brooches, rings, and gold chains, numecloths, clocks, and many more things too numerous to mention. In the evening notwithstandplace, and all kinds of amusoments, as on preceding days, were provided for the people.

and deposited with great ceremony in the urn. His Majesty was again in attendance, superintending everything as far as possible, connected. in many cases their eyes were knocked out, with this important rite. The remainder of the or in. After three days they were lowered by day was again devoted to all kinds of fostivities the steam winch, some of them at that time which were brought to an end yesterday evening weighing over 300lb., in couples, suspended by another grand display of fireworks.

THE JOHORE COMPANY, LIMITED spectus of the Johore Company, Limited, says: ... ] No doubt the facts stated in the prospectus are true all that had not been hove overboard dead during enough. No doubt Mr. MacGregor Smith, and others, have obtained concessions which they wish to sell, comprising 100,000 acres of land semi-dying state. The passengers, whose cabins in Johore and Muar; no doubt the tenure of these concessions is for a term of 999 years; no doubt the climate is humid and equable; the directors; but it seems to me a case in which no doubt the statement of dividends paid by the Deli Maatschappij and two other great Deli tobeing. killed before starting, when, stowed in an being killed before starting. bacco companies is correct; and no doubt certain contracts have been entered into by which, if tion than now." and his friends will receive £350,096 in shares and cash for property, which, it is reported, cost Petersburg was the scene of gorgeous funeral them nothing. There can be no doubt of any of pomp and ceremony unique in the annals of the these facts. There are, however, grave doubts British colony. A funeral service was performed attending many of the other statements put over the remains of the Emperor's Aide-deforward in this delightful document. It is Camp, General Greig, who died from the effects boldly stated that "two distinct crops of tabacco, of an operation for cancer in Berlin, and the the same as the well known Sumatra tobacco, church was crowded with all the high dignitaries grown by the various Deli Companies can of the Russian Government, in full dress qualification in regard to this statement: members of the Council of the Empire. it is put forward not as a possibility but of the Imperial Senate, and of the diploas an undisputed fact. Has tobacco similar matio body, headed by General von Schweinitz, is a deliberate misuse of words—a deliberate at-tempt to mislead the public. It is possible, of fought at Sebastopol, filled the pews and every bacco can be grown in Johore and Muar; but a Alexis and Engène of Lenchtenberg occupied for making such a statement. Then as to the side the church all along the English way were Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$210 per two distinct crops in one year. This state- drawn up a battalion of Finnish Guards, a large the same ground would produce two ment of Horse Guards, in entrasses and eagleed during the current year." Such a statement so much to build up the Russian Empire. Al as this is alone sufficient to throw discredit on though become thoroughly Russian, the family fast, but the land takes a long time to prepare, and the tobacco after it is cut a long time to ferment. It is not too much to say that eighteen months must be allowed from the period of first

more so perhaps than on many other occasions lead the public to believe the profits to be of a like nature, as it is well known how highly lumediate, and not conditional on a manuthe deceased Prince was esteemed by His Ma- facturing revolution. While the profits jesty the King, and how deeply his less has been to be made in tobacco, pepper, and fibres felt. Shortly before His Majesty's arrival, are the principal inducements held out to share about 6 p.m., the scene in and about the Prehold is there are others of minor importance mane was certainly extremely picturesque—with which are worth noticing. A lot of land is to the troope (artillery, cavalry and infantry) drawn be cleared and let to tenants who are readily ob-up around the building, the vast crowds in va- tainable from the Malay and Chinese population riegated costumes thronging from various di- at an annual rental of £4 10s. per acre. The rections towards the Palace yard, and the gilded Company is lucky to have such tenants in prostowers and minarets of the temples shining in pect, if they exist in any number. At last the the distance. At a little after six the trumpe-prospectus, evidently satisfied with the immense ters and heralds announced the approach of the riches within reach declares, "It is considered King, who was carried in a gold chair, and accompanied by some two hundred attendants got detail." Certainly it is. The pity only is that up in all the variety of costumes incidental to the promoters pursued them so far. Every line, the equipage of an Eastern monarch. His Macous details and every calculation is stamped with ignorance and jesty remained for about twenty minutes ins- effrontery -too great, it is to be hoped, to catch

### PHENOMENAL RAINFALL IN SYDNEY.

SYDNEY, 13th April.

The heaviest fall of rain experienced in Syd-

ney for a number of years occurred this morning, and resulted in great damage to property. From 7 to 9 o'clock rain fell in torrents in tho city and suburbs, flooding all the low lying lands and blocking traffic in the streets, causing a temporary suspension of business. The streets were submerged to a depth of several feet in some places, presenting the appearance of a swollen river. The water flooded through the shops and houses with resistless force, and large lakes were with much pemp from H. R. H.'s residence, and high lands to the various flats. Large quantities Numerous Princes and Nobles, all dressed in away. The tram lines were covered, nearly all sferers. The fall of four buildings took place in | lbs. scented caper, 12,726 lbs. scented The Plain in front of the Premane and inside O'Connell steet, the occupants of which had al- kee, 25 cases silk piece goods, 48 bales

The rainfull of yesterday is not unprecedented. for London-299 bales canes. From up, the pretty stalls, the multitude of people, According to the records of the Observatory, London-50 cases indigo, 30 cases of and above all the myriads of viny multi-colour- rain has fallen more heavily on previous occasions 100 bales hemp. For France-195 ed lanterns at night throwing a soft light all without producing, strange to say, effects even silk, and 2 cases silk piece goods. Fo round, gave a charming air of unreality to the approaching those which were noticed yesterday. bales fine silk. scene. Nor did this enchantment varnish on The downpoor yesterday was at the rate of 241 Per steamship Ajax, sailed on the 5t closer inspection. Inside was one vast fairy inches per hour; but in August, 1878, one inch For London—173,933 lbs. congou, scene, lit up by thousands of lamps and ablaze fell in six minutes, or ab the rate of 10 inches per sorts, 72.725 lbs. scented caper, 50 paci with electric light. The effect of all this hour, while in March, 1886, a rate of five inches dries, 4 bales straw, 47 rolls matting, illumination on the surrounding buildings, glit- per hour was recorded, and in July, 1886, fans, 331 packages canes, 200 casks g tering as it were with gold and precious stones, rain fell at the rate of 4:20 inches per hour. 10 cases carios. For New York-70 These comparisons, however, are not perfect. It tea, and 53 packages curios. From Thursday last was the grand day fixed for the would appear that yesterday over two inches of 1,000 bales hemp, and I case cigars. From Ja- Shanghai, .... oremation and towards the afternoon the crowd rain fell within the hour, as measured by the pan-3,120 bags rice, and 120 packages straw Nagasati ... 20.85 was very great. The whole of the corps Diplo- Observatory gauge; but although the figures braid. matique and a large number of civilians, with which have been quoted show a higher rate per all the Princes, and Nobles, were present, and hour for previous occasions, they do not show His Majesty the King arrived, shortly after- fell within that space of time. It is also to be New the sacred fire, whilst the priests in attendance experienced yesterday are frequently marked by Old N Nobles then followed and each added a barning | that the fall in the south-eastern parts of the city | Older pile, which took some two hours before it was margin of the city, where the Observatory stands. Patne

## OLLA PODRIDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel P. D. Trotter writes from whatever article it corresponded with amongst | the New Club, Edinburgh, March 25:- " I am not acquainted with the habits of turtle, so am unaware to what extent the following treatment may be prejudicial to their comfort. As it is abhorrent to humanity, I think attention should rous teak boats of different dimensions, silk be drawn to it. I returned lately from Jamaica in a ship in which there were over 100 of these reptiles, and by the time the survivors reached ing the rain, a grand display of fire works took | England they had been four and five weeks absolutely without food of any sort. For the first few days they lay upon the deck on their backs On Friday the ashes of deceased were collected their outstretched fine being trodden on and bruised by passers by; the shells of some were broken and out through, exposing the flesh, and by their fine, and stowed closely on the lower deck. Their deep drawn sighs, the only remonstrance they make, and the appearance of their stemachs, all concave and hollowed out through starvation, were pitiable, and their loss The Penang Gazette, commenting on the pro- the heart of an alderman., When too weak to of weight and evil condition would have touched move they were turned over, face downwards, and the latter part of the voyage were landed in a were mostly on the main deck, annoyed by the fetid smell arising from these moribund crea-

On the 26th March the English church at St. | Canton Insurance Office, Limited-\$75 per | FOR SWATOW, CHEFOO, TIENTSIN be produced in one year." There is no miform. M. de Giers and other Ministers, to that grown in Sumatra ever been grown the German Ambassador, were present; and in Johore? If it has it is curious that officials of the Ministry of the Finance and the fact has never been made public; if it has of the Control Department, members of the not, the statement put forward in the prospectus | Academy of Sciences and a large number of the course, and indeed, highly probable, that such to- available standing place. The Grand Dukes mere possibility or probability give no authority seats in the pew of the British Ambassador. Outment would lead people to imagine that number of Marines of the Guard, a whole regi- | China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$135 | First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forcrops annually; whereas the fact is the crested believes, and several batteries of artillery, Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$65 are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Deli planters as a rule only take off one crop to do the military honours before the bier of the and leave the ground fallow for seven years. deceased, and follow it to the grave, where the Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$52 per during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Perhaps, of course, some one has been trying English and Russian clergy officiated together. tobacco planting in secret in Johore or Muar. The usual triple volley was fired at the conclu- Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited and has learned a lot about the plant which is sion of the English burial service. General unknown to the skilled planters of Sumatra. Samuel Alexeiwich Greig was the son and A little further on in the prospectus it is stated grandson of the two famous Admirals of that that a crop of tobacco can be "raised and realis- name—two of the many Scotchmen who helped everything stated in the prospectus, for it shows still keeps up its connexion with its British that the data on which calculations are based origin by means of Protestantism and strict at- Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limust have been collected in the most haphazard | tendance at the English church. The late way. Tobacco is an annual crop and grows very | General was wounded at Sebastopol. He was | Hongkong and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co., controller of the Empire in 1874, and was appointed Minister of Finance in 1878.

The French Chamber of Deputies having outlay to the period of getting returns; and yet voted the supplementary credit of £1,040,000 the promoters of the Johore Planting Company demanded by the Minister of Marine, the followwhen one-third of the year is gone, boldly set ing new vessels will at once be built :-- At Cherforth that "a crop can be raised and realised bourg; a first-class cruiser to be named the Alger, Chinese Inverial Loan of 1884 B-6 per cent. during the current year." Some of the estimates | which will be 360 feet long by 42 feet in beam, of the Company appear to be as ridiculous as with a 20 feet draught of water, a displacement | Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884. C-8 per cent. these bold statements. The estimated profit on of 4,162 tons, and a speed of 19 knots. The tobacco is 8 per cent. greater than the average Alger, which is to have an ironclad deck, will Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E—63 per cent. profit for four years of the Deli Maatschappij, carry four 7-in. guns, six 6-in. guns, six representation. and 6 per cent greater than the profit of the volving cannon, four other guns, and four Chinese Imperial Government 1885 Dollar Loan three companies whose dividends they give for torpedo tubes. At Brest, a first-class cruiser of 1885. These are but trifles in profits of nearly the same type, to be called the Isly. At Toulon, 100 per cent, and, perhaps, bearing in two second-class cruisers, the Davoust and the mind the two crops they are to get annu- Sachet, each with a displacement of about 3,000 ally, as against the one crop of the Deli tons. At Havre, two cruisers, to be named the Companies, the promoters think their estimates | Coemac and the Coellogon, about 310 feet very reasonable. In tobacco they may have some long by 31 feet in beam, with a 15 feet data to go upon, and the public have some data | draught of water, and a displacement of 1,848 with which to dispute their facts; but on what tons. In addition to the above vessels, the do they base their calculations in regard to pro-fits on pepper and fibres? The profits they an-ticipate from pepper the third and fourth years are 166 per cent, the fifth and subsequent years built at Toulon, while the Société de la Gironde 260 per cent. on the outlay. They know little or is to build at Bordeaux a cruiser of the same nothing about the cultivation, and yet they put type and dimensions as the two about to be forward such figures. Evidently they look constructed at Havre. The Société des Forges for a considerable advance in the price of et Chartiers de la Méditerrance is about to build pepper during the next few years. Fibres a first-class cruiser to be named the Megador, are the last of the products of the country to which will be 351 feet long, by 44 feet in beam, which the promoters propose to devote with a 20 feet draught of water and a displacetheir energy and capital. They propose ment of 4,325 tons. The Mogador will be armed to cultivate 5,000 acres, and estimate with four 7-in. guns in turrets, six 6-in. guns, their profit on an outlay of £145,000 at £205,000 and several revolving cannon and torpedo tubes. per annum, or 140 per cent. The prospectus Her engines will be of 8,200 horse power, and sets forth, after naming Rhea, Mhoorva, &c., her calculated speed is to be 19 knots an hour. that "These fibres will, on account of their low Thus, three first, three second, and three thirdcost. gradually but surely revolutionise the class cruisers will at once be built, one first, one manufacture of many staple goods," and refers second, and all the three third-class vessels being to a report by Mr. W. E. Death—which is not undertaken by private firms. About 30 torpedo published—to show how the profits are calculational boats will also be ordered from private firms. ed. It is evidently in the future, when the but the Minister is waiting before giving the manufacture of staple goods has been revolu- order until some trials of other torpedo boats tionised, that the profits are to be made, although just built are completed.

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y  -  8  -	EXPORT CARGOES.  Per steamship Bokhara, sailed on the 5th  May:—For London—110,607 lbs. congou, 166,800  lbs. scented caper, 12,726 lbs. scented orange pe-	Baroneter red, to see red, to see rank 320 Fable. Temperature rund 320 Fable. Force, tion. Weather, weather, 14 bourt.
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On 14th inst., at 3 P.M.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO LOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN, AND BLACK SEA PORTS. MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZII AND LA PLATA:

LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX, DUNKIRK, AND ANTWERP.

N THURSDAY, the 12th May, CARGO, will leave this Port for the above

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal of Steamers. places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 11th May, 1887. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's required. For further particulars, apply at the Comrany's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 30th April, 1887. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORĖ, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, TRIESTE, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA

AND BALTIC PORTS; LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

TIME, and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS UP to Callao. Taking Cargo at through THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT rates to MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, SOUPHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. N.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL

PLACES IN RUSSIA. 4 Captain Pizzarello, will be despatched as above at FOUR P.M., the Company's Steamship from Europe. "ODER," Captain Pfeiffer, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO. will leave this Port as above, CALLING AT

CARLOWITZ & Co., Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 11th NDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION May, 1887. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board: they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

For Further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 16th April, 1887.-

CANADIAN PACIFIC LINE. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE,

THE British Steamship W. N. Allison, Commander, will be despatched "ABYSSINIA,"-The attention of Passengers is directed to the

3.651 Tons Register, Alex. Marshall, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., VIA YOKOHAMA, on or about SATURDAY the 14th May, at Three P.M. To be followed by S. S. "PARTHIA," 4th here for the above Ports, and will have quick June, and S. S. "BATAVIA," 25th June.

These steamers, fermerly in the CUNABD Service, have lately received New Engines and Boilers, and can maintain a speed at sea of from 13 to 14 knots. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with San Francisco by the regular

COMPANY. The attention of through passengers is drawn to the fact of the Canadian Pacific Railway being the best built and most spleudidly equipped line ever constructed on the American Continent, and specially adapted for Summer travelling.

SATURDAY, the 14th instant, at THREE P.M. Consular Invoices for Goods to United States points should be made out in quadruplicate, and commodation specially constructed to meet the addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C., and sent to us. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND HAM-

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Haskell, Master, shortly expected here, will load

here for the above Port, and will have quick

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON.)

F.H. DREWS."

Rothbart, Master, will load here and will have

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

"HEINRICH."

above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

Agents.

PUSTAU & Co.

MELCHERS & Co.

CARLOWITZ & Co.

AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON. LIVERPOOL, and BREMEN.) Hongkong, 25th April, 1887. THE Steamship FOR NEW YORK. "HESPERIA," HE 3/3, A. I. I. American Bark Captain E. Christiansen, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 16th May, "SONNTAG." at Eleven A.M.

apply to

despatch.

quick despatch

For Freight, apply to

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Hongkong, 12th April, 1887.

THE 3 LL II German Bark

Hongkong, 2nd April, 1887.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887.

HE 3/3 L I. I. German Bark

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, 22nd April, 1887. EOR HONOLULU. WITH OPTION TO CALL AT YOROHAMA. HE American Ship

Captain Panno, will load here for the above Port, and will be despatched on or about the 1 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, 6th May, 1887. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

"MERCURY."

"LENNOX." Thearle, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 30th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

THE Steamship

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM

SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

AND EUROPE: THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS. ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING

STEAMERS

THE Steamship "BELGIC" will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 14th May, at THREE P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghal and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day pre-

vious to sailing.

RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice verka) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des

tined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be the American mail of the 12th April, left sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to Yokohams on the 7th, and may be expected herethe Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company. No. 50a, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 27th April, 1887.

U. B. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF" PEKING," will be despatched for San Francisco, vià Yokohama, on TUES DAY, the 24th May, at THREE P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-

NOON, the Company's Steamship to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities "DJE MNAH," Commandant Vaquier, with of the United States, via Overland Railways, to MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and Havans, Trinidad, and Domerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines

RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six giving trouble, a course which generally gives months, will be allowed a discount of 20% from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Office.) Contents and value of Packages are Fare. Pre-paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year; will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

on the day provious to sailing, Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Cellector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company.

No. 50a, Queen's Road Central C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 6th May, 1887.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. HE Company's Steamship

"MENZALEH! Captain Blanc, will be despatched for KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, N THURSDAY, the 12th day of May, 1887. shortly after the arrival of the Mail steamer

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Houghong, 4th May, 1887. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. THE Company's Steamship

"ANADYR," Commandant Delacrois, will be despatched for SHANGHAI. shortly after her arrival with the French Mail from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 4th May, 1887. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L II German Bark

"HYDRA." THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY Binge, Master, shortly expected here, will load and other connecting Railway Lines & Steamers | here for the above Ports, and will have quick | Mail, or with the name of the Packet. For Freight, apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 9th May, 1887. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. HE 3/3, L. I.I. British Bark

" TOBIQUE, Davis, Master, shortly expected here, will load

For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887. FOR HONOLULU. HE Hawaiian Bark

"LILIAN." above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

GONSALVES & Co. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1887. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L II Norwegian Bark "MENTONE."

Rafn, Master, will lead here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 5th May, 1887.

FOR NEW YORK. For information as to Passage or Freight, FIHE 3/3 A. I.I. American Ship "WACHUSETT." Chs. C. Oakland, Master, will load here for the

[852] above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 10th May, 1887. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L II American Ship

> "JOHN C. POTTER." Curtis, Master, will lead here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 24th March, 1887, 614

FOR VICTORIA (V.I.) FITHE A. I. British Bark ····PENSHA-W·

Goo. Parker. Master. will load here and wi have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 25th April, 1887. FOR NEW YORK.

"MANREGAN." J. T. Baunau, Master, will load here for the A. C. Paulson Master, wil load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Honghong, 1st April, 1887.

HE 3/3 A I.I. British Bark

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

FOR HAVRE AND LONDON THE 100 A I British Ship " NARCISSUS." MacKintosh, Master, shortly expected here, will

load for the above Ports, and will have quick For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co Hongkong, 22nd April, 1887.

FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. HE 100 A I British Ship "AMPHITRITE." Anderson, Master, will load here for the above Ports and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 21st March, 1887. FOR HAVRE AND LONDON.

TIME 100 A.I British Bark "FIFESHIRE," R. Greig, Master, will lead here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Jo. Hongkong, 3rd March 1897.

MARES EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The Pacific Mail steamer City of Peking, with on or about the 13th instant.

THE FRENCH MAIL. The Messageries Maritimes steamer Anadyr. with the French mail of the 8th April, left Saigon at 4 p.m. on the 10th, and may be expected here on or about the 13th instant

STEAMERS EXPECTED The D. D. R. steamer Iphigenia left Singapore on the 9th, and is due here on the 16th instant.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Telemachus left Singapore on the 10th, and is due here on the 16th instant. The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer Ti-

tania-left Colombo on the 6th, and is due here on or about the 24th instant.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES,

When Correspondence has been mis-sent or delayed (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to note on the cover, Sent to ---- or Received at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it. without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster-General. This should be acted on the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a mistake to let such matters pass for fear of more trouble in the end

Local Delivery—No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Abordoen &c., nor at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected.

The Postal Guide for 1886, revised to date fill be found in the Dully Press Directory. . 385 large edition, p. 701 small edition. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong. The authorised List of Mails assued in

connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given A MAIR WILL CLOSE. For Swatow, Amov, and Foochow.-Per

Haiphong, to-day, the 11th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai.—Per Ningpo, to-day, the 11th nst., at 3:30 P.M. For Hailong:-Por Activ, to-day, the 11th inst., at 5.00 p.m. For Straits and Bombay.—Per Bisagno, tomorrow: the 12th instant, at 10.30 A.M. For Swatow, Chefoo, Tientsin, and Newchwang.—Per Kwongsang, to morrow, the 12th nst. at Noon.

For Amoy and Manila.—Per Diamante, tonorrow, the 12th inst. at  $3.30~\mathrm{P.M.}$ For Straits and Calcutta.—Per Tuisana, on Baturday, the 14th inst, at 2.30 P.M. For Singapore -- Per Hesperia, on Monday. the 16th inst., at 10.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Djepunah will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 12th May. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and places beyond, via Naples: to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and

Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The Cerman Contract Packet Oder will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 13th May. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, ria Brindisi: to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India,

Aden, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, &c., &c. The hours observed in closing the Mails, &c. will-be the same as in the case of the French Correspondence should be marked Per German The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes. Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has 943 been neglected, will make no enquiries into

alleged losses of such letters. HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet :-Day of Departure. NOON .--- Money Order Office closes.

1912 200 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely. Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship G. B. Holland, Master, will load here for the 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board

the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure. THE FRENCH AND GERMAN MAILS. Day before. Departure. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. German

Mail 4 P.M. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office Day of Departure. 7 A.M., Post Office opens. 10 A.M.; Registry of Letters coases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure.

TATOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS Neither the Captains, the Agents, nor the OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :--AMPHITRITE, Brit: ship, Anderson.—Carlowitz

Снамовна, Brit. str., Williams.—Butterfield & F. H. Drews, Ger. bk., Rothbart.—Order. HEINEICH. Ger. bk., Bannau.—Carlowitz & Co. LILIAN, Hawaiian bk., G. B. Helland. -- Gonsalvas

MANNEGAN, Brit. bk., Paulson. - Ed. Schollhass Mosser, Brit. str., Titzek.—Russell & Co. OOPACK, Brit. str., Jaques.—Arnhold, Karberg PORT AUGUSTA, Brit. str., Hogg.-Adamson,

PORT VICTOR, Brit. str., Williams.—Siemssen SPINAWAY, Brit. sch., Garrick.—Siemesen & Co. TA HONGKONG, Siam, ship, Jaesscher.—Order. TRAVANCORE, Brit. str., Logan.-Russell & Co. VELOCITY, Brit. bk., Martin.-Pustau & Co. WHAMPOA. Brit. st., Allison.—Butterfield &

THE DAILY PRESS, WHONESDAY, MAY 119H, 1887. SHIPPING IN THE HARBOUR. INSURANCES. for fear of her maid's keen eyes. On her that Lord Puddleduck would be able to DESTINA-PLAG EXTRACT. DATE OF return from the Drawing-room, Colonel redeem the stones, that they would most CORSIGNEES AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE, TION. YESSELS. AND RIG. FOR SALE OR TO LET. Rougement noticed that his wife looked likely fall ultimately, into his clutches. LIMITED. "Well |" he said, impatiently, " of course (OF CALCUTTA). HE Property known as "THE CLIFFS, flushed and excited, but readily accepted the QUEER STORY. HONGKONG. the brashelet is all right?" near Mount Gough-the Peak. usual feminine plea. "a beadache," as an FITHE Undersigned are prepared to GRANT Mr. Golconda laid it down with a smile. COUNTESS OF PUDDLEDUCK'S BEACELET POLICIES on MARINE RISKS at =Apply to explanation of the alternate irritability and 355 Arnhold, Karberg & Co ADAMS & JORDAN. "Every stone in it is-paste," he said, Russell & Co depression of spirits under which she seemed Current Rates. Brit, str From Miss Marjorie Mayflower to 6 You g Hongkong, 24th February 1887. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., 396 | Wieler & Co Ger. str Miss Audrey Auricula. 9 E. Aereboe to be suffering. Siemssen & Co " Paste !" cried Lord Puddleduck. FOR SALE. Brit, str 10 Reynell "Haan't your headache gone yet, my Ashington "Dearest Audrey,—The great event is over. Hongkong, 27th September, 1886. 2695 | O. & O. S. S. Co S. Francisco " Pasts !" echoed Mr. Jededish. Brit, str Walker The Brahminical rite-the most important dear?" remarked the Colonel, equably, as he "Good God! that rascally Colonel must THE 100 A. I. STEAMER 1487 | Carlowitz & Co Genos Ital. str Pizzarello NOTICE. but one in a girl's life—has been duly cele- looked at her across the breakfast-table the Sylvon 973 | Morris & Ray brated, and your Marjorie has joined the following morning. She had just put down have changed the stones," shouted his lord-Brit. atr R. Cass Cariabrooks THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM 1463 | Butterfield & Swire Brit. str the Times, and was pressing her hand to her ship, forgetting caution in his surprise and Williams Changsha Arnhold, Karberg & Co 1556 distinguished ranks of the presented. PANY, LIMITED. Brit, str wroth. "I'll-I'll prosecute him. I'll-" Expected in JAPAN within a few weeks, built in Machugh Ching-wo "Stop a minute," interrupted Mr. Gol. Holland in 1882. Length 91 feet 7 inches, La prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS Siomasen & Co "Of course, you want to know all about it. forehead :-(For. str Christensen Arnhold, Karberg & Co ri48 I wonder when your turn comes, dear, if you | "" No-ves; it is rather bad," she answered, RISKS at 1 % nett per Annum, and other IN- Crusader Brit. - tr will feel what I confess to feeling to-night absently. "I think I will go to my room conda, quietly. "I think I can let some Width 18 feet 1 inch, Depth 8 feet 9 inches, Rowin Russell & Co light in on this matter. This stone is an Draft about 9 feet, carrying capacity 160 tons. Surances at Current Rates. 514 Brit. str McGaslin Diamante Messageries Maritimes AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China 3528 just the least little bit disillusioned? I al- and lie down." With Compound Vertical Engines of 125 H .- P. Vagnier Diemnah Adamson, Bell & Co ways fancied (don't you?) that at the Queen's Mrs. Rougement retired to her boudeir, exact copy of a stone in the possession of and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang, Burgovne D. Monarch Speed 8 knots per hour. C. M. S. N. Co For further particulars of Steamer, apply to and the Philippines. Drawing-room only really nice people were but, instead of lying down, she locked the Lord Puddleduck." Buchavan Yokohama Melohers & Co. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Ger, str admitted; but (ien't it odd that there's al- door, sank on her knees by her escritoire, ... "You foo! I am Lord Puddleduck, and J. PH. VON HEMERT, Jeneral Werder May Schnokmant Jardine, Mathesou & Co J. Sommer ways a "but" in everything?) some of the and hurst into tears. The advertisement in that diamond—the diamond you say is pasts Glanlyon No. 25. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. Brit. str Donaldson women were positively awful. It seems a the Times had frightend her terribly. She -was given to my father by the Nizam of Yokohama, 11th April, 1887. Glensh el Adams o. Bell & Co Brit. str D. Davies G'morganshiro | May TRANSATLANTICFIREINSURANCE JUST RECEIVED. and pity that the Drawing-rooms are not held had not thought of the inevitable con- Chuddahbed." Douglas Lapraik & Co-Brit. 8'r Roach Halloong COMPANY OF HAMBURG. in the evening, for by gaslight one wouldn't sequences of her weakness in yielding to a A very knowing look came into Mr. East Coart Douglas Lapraik & Co 1122 -Brit. str "A'shton Hainhough see quite so much of the paint and powder, sudden temptation. Diszled by the splendour Golconda's yellow face as he listened to this Holland GENEVER or GIN in Cases and the low drasses wouldn't look so absurdly Butterfield & Swire 2235The Undersigned, having been appointed Liloyd "Nokaa" H., C.& M. Ste mboat Co Macro 1344 Agents for the above Company, are prepared to Honam and the low dresses wouldn't look so absurdly of the diamonds, she had committed a theft outburst. out of place. Talking of the low dresses, which she already bitterly repented. At "O-oh! then I think I can explain this of One Dozen or less, White Crystal Glass H. C. & M. Steamboat Co ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Kinkinng Jardine. Matheson & Co. dear, positively I couldn't look at some of the that moment she would have given anything mystery. Perhaps your lordship does not 9-Thos. Seller Kwongesag Also GENEVER in Stone Bottles and Chinese 622 1278 women without blushing; but mamma says to return the bracelet to its owner, but shame know that every celebrated diamond in the Kunath SIEMSSEN & Co., Mobath Mes ageries Maritimes POMERANZEN BITTERS. Blanc Menzaleh May I shall get used to them in time. I think and cowardice held her back. How could world is known by certain marks to experts. A. R. Martv Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. Ger. str Solinefor GUNS, RIFLES, REVOLVERS, CART. yery fat people and very thin people should she confess to her husband that she was a Nearly a month ago, the real, unoubted Marie Adamson, Bell & Co Brit. str D. Young Mereddio be compelled to wear high-necked gowns; thief; and what story could she invent to R jah's diamond was privately in the BIDGES, SHOT, &c., &c., &c., NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE Bangkok Yuen Fat Hone H. Loff Mongkut and if I were the Queen, I would pass an explain away the damning evidence of guilt market, and was sold to the agent of a The RISING HOPE SHAG TOBACCO from COMPANY AT HAMBURG. Russ Il & Co. Titzek Mosser Shanghal Siemasen & Co. Brit, str Act of Parliament or something to make them which her silence-manifested? If she had foreign Royalty." F. Schulz Nelle, (Rotterdam.) FEIHE Undersigned, Agents for the above Bremen Melohers & Co J. F. SCHEFFER, 1900do so. And women with pretty necks ought spoken to her husband before the advertise- "What!" thundered Lord Puddleduck. 10 Pfeiffer Company, are prepared to GRANT IN-(!satom Brit. str 21, & 23, Pottinger Street. ment appeared, it would have been so much | Sold!-our celebrated diamond-sold a 146| SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on firstat least to be decent. H. & W. Dook Co Brit. str Stopani month ago! I don't believe it." class risks at current rates. "My gown was a great success-white, of leasier. Adamson, Bell & Co FOR SALE. Brit. str Jas. Hogg course; but it got dreadfully torn and crush- Unlocking the escritorire, she took out the Mr. Golconda shrugged his shoulders. Port Augusta May Siemssen & Co Brit. str Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. Port Viotor ed before all was over. Many of the people | bracelet with trembling fingers. Really it was "You can do as you like, my lord. But," H., C.& M. Steamboat Co Canton HEIDSIECK'S 1842 l efavour had left their good manners at home, if they magnificent -far too splendid for an ugly he added, turning to Mr. Jedediah, "the Siemsson & Co CHAMPAGNE. 1880 WHITE SEAL. NOTICE. Butterfield & Swire Shanghai old woman like Lady Puddleduck to wear, stones are paste, and a whole jury of experts \$21..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. Brit. str 9 Milligan Stantor OUEEN FIRE INSURANCE possessed anv. 8 D. Houghton Brit, str | 1236 M. B. Kaishia "But now, dear, I must tell you of a very Mrs. Rougemont's eyes sparkled as she will tell you the same. I wish you good \$22..... per case of 2 dozen pints. Stratbairly Brit. str | 1505 | Jardine, Matheson & Co COMPANY PAUL DUBOIS & Co.'s strange incident which happened just before | wound it round her plump white arm. Could | morning. Ger, str | 1580 | Siemes n & Co The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com-CLARET, GRAND VIN LEOVILLE. '6l Petersen ctortos 29 McCorkindale Brit. str | 1349 | Adamson, Bell & Co pany, are prepared to A CEPT RISKS on I entered the Throne-room. I dare say you she part with it after all? Of course, she \$25..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. Boiling over with rage, his lordship thrust FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1 per Cent. Nett pre-1149 | Russell & Co have heard mamma speak of Lady Puddle- couldn't wear the diamonds in their present CLARET, CHATEAU LAROSE. ト J. Logan duck. She is quite old, you know-sixty form, but they might be reset, and then the bracelet into his pocket, and rushed out Travancore 313..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. 1459 Butterfield & Swire Brit, str minm per Annum. 26 A. Hunt Tsinan at least-but she was painted and be-wigged, what a glorious tiars they would make! of Mr. Jedediah's office. A thousand wild \$14..... per case of 2 dozen pints.
PONTET CANET. NORTON & Co., Agents. 406 Chinese Span. str 1 J. Ajubita **V**isa vas and her dress was-horrid. I can't think of Mrs. Rougement was picturing her ap- conjectures crowded into his mind as he Wieler & Co Hongkong, 20th May, 1881. Ger. str **Vorwants** \$9.50 ..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. Shing Kee it without a shudder. I longed to wrap the poarance at some future Drawing-room, with drove home. He went straight up to his Brit. str Y. Witt TMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-Was Yeung H. C. & M. Steamboat Co | Canton PALMER MARGAUX. the stolen diamonds crowning her pretty wife's room, and poured out the whole S. W. Goggio, Brit. str White Cloud train round her fat old shoulders. \$7.50 ...... per case of 1 dozen quarts. | Siemssen & Co Brit. str Brotherton "She was standing quite near me, and I head, when a sudden knock at the door history of his day's adventure. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Adamson, Bell & Co 1425 Brit. str \$8.50 ...... per case of 2 dozen pints. LORMONT. Lady Puddleduck's fat, red face turned Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES May 10 C. F. Preston Brit. str 1564 P. & O. S. N. Co could not help admiring a most beautiful startled her out of her day-dream. against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any diamond bracelet she were. It had one ener- "I want to speak to you, Ella. Open the ghastly white as her husbend was speaking. \$5 ..... por case of 1 dezen quarts. When he had finished she excitedly said :--JOHN WALKER & SONS' mous stone in the middle, and lots of smaller | door," called out her husband. FIRST-CLASS RISK. "The woman who stele my bracelet-for OLD HIGHLAND WHISKEY. Fab. 23 C. Anderson Brit. sh 1707 | Carlowitz & Co. ones clustering round it in the form of a star. Startled and flurried out of her self-pos-RATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS RE- Amphitrite There must have been something wrong with session, Mrs. Rougement did not stop to I don't believe a single word of that lame \$8 ..... per case of 1 dozen bottles. Melshers & Co Auton Gunther Fab. DUCED to 1 PER CENT NETT PER ANNUM 472 | Melchers & Co the fastening, though, for just as she moved put the bracelet back again into her desk. story about it getting hooked in her dress-Apl. 30 Leupslodurs 381 Ed. Schellhass & Co FROM THIS DATE. C. F. ollins Brit sch CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s towards the Throne-room it fell off. I was She hastily pushed it up her arm, where it must have got the stones changed. You GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Che! msford 8 D. Anderson | Brit. bk WINES AND SPIRITS. 312 | Gilman & Co just going to pick it up and run after her | was hidden by the long sleeves of her morn. ought to go to this Colonel Rougement-Imperial Fire Insurance Company. | Eccora | I.B. Drews 1142 | Chinese SIEMSSEN & Co. Brit, bk 26 C. E. Fulton " Pshaw, Sigismunda! do you take me with it-for I felt so grieved to think the ing wrapper. Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. Ger. bk 29 Rothbart poor old thing should lose her beautiful Looking very pale and frightened, she for a fool? Golcouda said that the Rajah's Mar. Hongkong, 9th May, 1881. 1318 | Arnhold, Karberg & Co | London f≀rit. bk bracelet, that I forgot for the moment all opened the door and confronted her busband, diamond was in the market a month ago-NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE -120 | Master Br. yacht FOR SALE. 11 Derham about Court etiquette-when, to my astonish- The sight of her troubled, tear-stained face that is just before we had our fortnight's INSURANCE COMPANY. -Carlowitz & Co Hambure 27, F. H. Baunau Ger bk AT WHOLESALE PRICES. ment, another lady in passing it, dropped her drove out of the Colonel's mind the trivial trip to Monte Carlo. Sigismunda," he added Carlowitz & Co Amr. sh 7 Curtis THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Com-John C. Potter Dec. Honolulu handkerchief. She stooped very quickly to domestic affair which he had come to tell sternly, "I see it all. You gambled away 7 G.B. Holland Haii, bk CACCONE'S SHERRY, PORT. pany, are authorized to INSURE against New York 1143 | Pustau & Co Brit. bk pick it up, and when she had done so there her about. He felt sure that something had the money you got by selling the genuine Mar. 19 Paulsen Manhegan CLARETS, CHAMPAGNE. FIRE at Current Rates. 462 Arnhold, Karberg & Co apl. 22 E. Vialin was no bracelet to be seen. I noticed, too, gone wrong. When he questioned her, stones, and then lost the bracelet on pur-GILMAN & Co. Marianne HOCKS, BURGUNDY 819 | Chinese Am. bk · Merryman that the lady's cheeks looked much redder, however, Mrs. Rougement declared that she pose, so as to avoid detection. Heaven only BRANDY, WHISKIES, ALE, STOUT. Hongkong, 1st January, 1882. 700 | Carlowitz & Co and she seemed in a great hurry to put the had nothing on her wind, but that her head knows how I am to get that money from MACHINERY, LAWN MOWERS. Ed. Schollhass & Co 1088 THE NETHERLANDS FIRE Meroury SCALES. BICYCLES. handkerchief into her pocket. I hope that ached dreadfully. To emphasise her words, Jedediah, now ! 729 | Melchers & Co Parker INSURANCE COMPANY. PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH. 325 Siemssen & Co Jas. Garrick | Brit. sch she is a friend of Lady Puddleduck's, and she passed her hand wearily across her Spinsway POSTSCRIPT OF A LETTER FROM MISS MARJORIE 635 | Order Apply to ESTABLISHED 1845. M. Jaesschor ( Siam, sh W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., will send the poor old thing's bracelet back forehead. Certainly there must have been Ta Hongkong 731 | Gonsalves & Co. Brit. bk Martin to her at once. But it was funny that she something wrong with the fastening of that Bank Buildings. THE Undersigned, having been appointed I was actually going to seal up my letter without telling you the end of that queer thing I saw at the 1519 Master Amr. sh C. Oakland Wachusett happened to drop her handkerchief over it, unlucky bracelet. It slipped from Mrs. Hongkong, 1st January, 1886. Agents for the above Company, are 364 | Order Brit. sch Wan, Minstrol | April wasn't it? When I spoke to mamma about Rougement's arm, and fell heavily to the Drawing-room. Mamma and I met Lady Puddleduck prepared to ACCEPT RISKS, against FIRE 194 | Siemsson & Co 20  $\cdot$  Miedbrodt Ger. soh at Lady Waltzaway's ball last night. Poor old thing ! FOR SALE. Wilhelm Meyer Apt. it, she looked so grave, and told me not to ground, close by the astonished Colonel's feet. "My dear Ella, where—on—earth did some of the looked so ill and worried; and when mamma 610 | Chinese at Current Rates. Siam, bk | Young Siam May 10 Kock W. R. LOXLEY & Co. M CAO. tell any one. You don't count, of course, MAMPAGNE "MONOPOLE." you get that bracelot from?" he exclaimed, she were it that night she turned all sorts of colours, 360 C. M. S. N. Co. Hongkong, 24th March, 1887. Thi. str dear. She knows I tell you everything. Kiang-ping "I felt horribly nervous as I crossed picking it up, and grasping his wife's arm and looked quite miserable. She told mamma that he Throne-room, with four wards of white angely "Who cannot to you are -HEIDSIECK & Co.-H. C. & M. steamboat Co | Capton 288Brit: str Kinngchow THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM J. H. Dutton 1 rit. str Order the Throne-room, with four yards of white angrily. "Who gave it to you?" season in town. She didn't seem at all glad to have Recorder MONOPOLE RED SEAL (medium dry). WHAMPO V. PANY. LIMITED. I — I got her diamends back. Now, in her place, I should have been delighted. As it is, I feel quite relieved. satin dragging after me. The Queen seemed "No one-no one, indeed, Will, Chi. str 1533 , C. M. S. N. Co. Do. "sec" RED FOIL (dry). HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. Fushau tired and dreadfully bored, but the Princess found it. It doesn't belong to me !" Brit. str 1857 | Jardine, Matheson & Co. because, you know, dear, Mrs. Rougement did behave Gloneagles Brit. str 1729 Ar: hold, Karberg & Co looked so sweet and charming that I forgot "Look here, Ella, I insist on knowing the oddly. Mamma thinks the whole affair very mys- Day Do. (extra dry). J. " Jaques CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000. Qopack -Brit. str 1323 | Butterfield & Swire all my nervousness as I gazed at her. whole truth. You are triding something terious. 9. Hatchinson Orestes CARLOWITZ & Co., ('binese "Mamma said I did her credit. I am so from me. Chi. str -'BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Sole Agents for glad. I was so atraid I shouldn't make a Ob, don't scald me! I-can't bear it," LUM SIN SANG. Esq. IN FORT ON 2ND MAY, 1887. HRIDSIECK & Co., REIMS, Yow Chong Peng, Esq. INTIMATIONS. deep enough curtsey, or something. The cried Mrs. Rougement, bursting into tours. BAN HUP, Esq. For Hongkong, China, and Japan. 473 | Pasedag & Co CHAN LI CHOY Esq. Q. HOL CHUNE, Esq. crowd coming out was simply awful! Wo | -"Do let me keep the diamonds-they are -359 Pasedag & Co 23 Gehrk had to wait ages for our carriage, and you worth ever so much money-and---' Hougkong, 1st July, 1885. Charley The Company GRANTS POLICIES on 240 H. A. Peterson & Co Ger. sch 28 E. Schulz MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, Fangh Balangh may imagine how wretchedly tired and hungry | "Ella, are you mad? You say you found | 290 | H. A. Petersen & Co 23 Vandel SHIP'S COMPRADORES, STEVEDORES, FOR SALE. payable at any of its Agencies. Apl. 30 J. P. Eriksen 241 H. A. Petersen & Co Dag. sch Contributory Dividends are payable to all Lonisa " I feel so uncomfortable about poor Lady | your returning it at once. Why, good God!" 249 | Pasedag & Co H A M P A G N 25 W. Dick Contributors of Business, whether they are Mercor COAL MERCHANTS. 391 H. A. Petersen & Co Gor. bk Puddleduck's bracelet. I am sure I shall headded, turning redaud then pale, "I believe Apl. 23 W. Muller "CARTE BLANCHE'SEC," PROVISIONS SUPPLIED AT THE SHANGHAL. Shareholders or not. dream about it. Good night, dear. I am I understand the truth. There is an adver-HENRI CLICQUOT, REIMS. WOO LIN YUEN, In Port on 6th May, 1887. SHOETEST NOTICE, getting dreadfully sleepy .- Your loving tisement in this morning's Times about a \$16..... per Case of 1 dozen quarts. No. 25. PRAYA CENTRAL. STEAMERS (EXCLUSIVE OF RIVER CRAFT) Secretary. \$17.....per Case of 2 dozen pints. MARJORIE. lost bracelet. You found it at Drawing. Brit. str | 2346 | Gibb, Livingston & Co 冬發炭煤司公泰榮 HEAD OFFICE, Marahai "P.S .- I forgot to say that I described to room. Yes, here is the Earl's coronet and SCHEELE & Co., Abissivia Brit, str | 1304 | Butterfie d & Swire No. 2, Queen's Road West, Sole Importers for Hongkong & China. 2 Lapage mamina the face and dress of the lady who the initials 'S. P.' engraved inside. And Anchises Hongkong, 14th March, 1881, 1530 Gibb. Livingston & Co Brit, str 28, A. Webster Hongkong, 20th April, 1887. Boolawers picked up the bracelet. She says it must be you meant to steal it. I am ashamed of you, 3429 P. & O. S. N. Co 26 P. Case Brit. str ី 8 ប**៊**ា ៤ FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 Dece-n Brit. str | 13-1 | Buttrefield & Swire Mrs. Rougement, the wife of Colonel Rouge- Ella. You have placed me in a dreadful COAL MERCHANTS. 2 Haunah YEARS IN THE FAR EAST. Glancus IN HAMBURG. 2000 | Jardine, Matheson & Co Brit. str mont, of the Vermilion Lancers .-- M M." position. How am I to account for your 30 W. E. Du have always on hand G lenegla 920 | U. M. S. N. Co Chi. str "Decimus, I've something dreadful to tell | not having at once taken steps to return it?" THE Unde signed, -Agents of the above Hae-an LARGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP Andrew JUST PUBLISHED. 437 Russell & Co Brit. Btr Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT Kleffel you. Don't be angry, but I've lost my Say anything-say that it got caught in Inne TION OF COAL. Ingeborg **DEMY 8vo. pp. 163, Слоти, \$2.00.** 942 | C. M. S. N. Co Cbi, s≀r Graham diamond bracelet -the one with the Rajah's my dress, and that I only found it late last Address :- Care of Messre. Kwong Sung & Co. HISKS at Current Rates. May TAVENTS IN HONGKONG AND THE Kiang-piau 600 | Jardine, Matheson & Co Brit. str Wilson Mar. 25 PUSTAU & Co., night," whimpered his wife. "That horrid Kung Wo No. 68, PRAYA. FAR EAST, 1915 | Alfred Dent & Co diamond in it." 28 J. S. Hoga Brit: str Moyune Lord Puddleduck gazed at his wife, borror- old woman will be so pleased at getting 1875 TO 1884 Messageries Maritimes Fr. str THINA OVERLAND TRADE REPORT Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. Homory Saghalien Chronologically, with Copious back her bracelet, that she won't care to Butterfield & Swire 28 Martin Shanghai INDEX, by which the date of any event can be Butterfield & Swire "Where on earth did you lose it?" he inquire too closely into particulars." CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE Brit, str Harris COMMERCIAL JOURNAL for CHINA, JAPAN, May 595 G. N. Telegraph Co found at a glance. Dan. str Colonel Rougemont, not being able to Hildebrandt INSURANCE COMPANY. gasped, feebly. Store Nordiske Apl. 1350 | Nippon Yusen Kaishia "At the Drawing-room to-day. I must invent a more plausible story, adopted the Published at the Office of the Hongkong Daily Tokio Maru Forms a complete register of POLITICAL, 1109 | Butterfield & Swire ESTABLISHED 1805. Brit. str have dropped it just before I entered the suggestion. He put the bracelet in his **Var**din Woosung Press on the Morning of the Departure COMMERCIAL and SOCIAL OCCURBENCES, 814 | Siemssen & Co Brit. str 21 Schultz pocket, kissed his wife, and told her not to WRECKS, SHIPPING CASUALTIES, FIRES, FIRES, Undersigned having been appointed Yangtsze of the English Mail. Chi. str 661 | C. M. S. N. Co Thronceroom." Lipeoln Agents for the above Company are pre-Lord Puddleduck's brow cleared instantly. | fret any more about the unlucky affair, and contains the 325 LC. M. S. N. Co Chi. str TYPHOONS, &c. pared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire Yung-ning LATEST AND FULLEST TRADE Then, my dear, I think you may make then left the house and drove straight to the SAILING VESSELS. INTELLIGENCE. DAILY PRESS Office, Wyndham Street. 1259 1 Adamson, Bell & Co your mind easy. The bracelet will be in its Monarchical Club. He was fortunate in findon the usual terms. Peabod: REPORTS OF MEETINGS OF ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. | Antelope KELLY & WALSH, Queen's Road. 442 | Mitsui Bishi Kaishia place in your jewel-case in two or three days | ing Lord Puddleduck in. Mrs. Rougement [997 | Chihaya Maru May Marray COMPANIES. Hongkong, January, 1832. W. BREWER, Queen's Road. 456 Gibb, Livingston & Co or, if not in your possession, it will have been | was right in supposing that no very searching Ger. bk Nauroh HE LATEST TELEGRAMS, Hongkong, 28th April, 1885. Morris & Co returned to you. We will send an advertise- questions would be asked. Lord Puddleduck Brubn together with the THE LATEST ADVANCE IN LIFE Jardine, Matheson & Co 1808 Edgett POLITICAL AND GENERAL NEWS was so delighted to see the diamonds again, ii ageralowu ment to all the daily papers." Russell & Co FOR SALE. 1281INSURANCE. Amr. sh 25| Crosby "My dear Decimus, I fear you are too that he scarcely listened to the Colonel's Imperial of the Fortnight. 1382 | C. & J. Trading Co. Brit, sh Collection of about 400 UNPOLISHED THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE Lennie Burrell Dec. 13 Murphy The "Trade Report" has a large circulation sanguine," replied her ladyship, shaking her lame story; but, afterthanking him effusively, 525 | Lane, Crawford & Co head; "the Drawing-rooms are no longer asked him to dine with him next day at in Hongkong, the Ports of China and Japan, GEMS. Can be seen on application at COMPANY'S NAUASAKI. YEAR DIVIDEND POLICY what they were. All sorts of queer people the Monarchical. He felt that this would the Philippines Straits Settlements, &c. &c. he Office of this Paper. IN PORT ON STH MAT, 1887 Hongkong, 26th February, 1887. [433 SAILING VESSEL go there. I am sadly afraid that my bracelet be a cheap and suitable reward of honesty; THIS Policy secures to the insured the option SUMMER TIME TABLE. 386 | Holme, inger & Co may have been picked up by some un- | "I don't mean to let Sigismunda have the of terminating his Insurance at the end of Anna Bertha Krause \_\_ J C. & J. Trading Co NOW ON SALE. any 5 Year period, and receiving for his Policy a Katabdin principled person, who will not readily dis- bracelet back," thought his lordehip, when THE KOWLOON FERRY. 400 | Kipton Yusen Kaishla Barke cash surrender value together with his share of hozaki Marn gorge such valuable spoil. There are such the Colonel had taken his leave. "She is Christenson accumulated surplus apportioned as a dividend.

If death occur, the full amount of the Policy will IMPERIAL QUARTO. STEAM-LAUNCH people as lady-thieves, you know, Decimus." really not to be trusted with anything so IN FORT ON BED MAY, 1887. "MORNING STAR valuable. I'll take it straight to Jedediah, MONGLISH AND CHINESE "Lady-thieves !-- the devil !" STEAMERS. be paid immediately on proof of death, together Runs Daily as Ferry Boat between PEDDAR's Brit. str : 1826 | Smith, Baker & Co and clinch the bargain in the matter of that "My love, you forget yourself!" DICTIONARY. with a Mortuary Dividend of 50 per Cent. of all Glenmorven WHARF and TSIM-TSA-TSUI at the following Wright Ger. str 1136 | Simon, Evers & Co WITH THE PUNTI AND MANDARIN "I beg your pardon, Sigismunda; but, loan." premiums received during the 5 Year period in Hesperia hours :- This Time Table will take effect from Christiansen Jap. sir | 1512 | Nippon Yusen Kalshia PRONUNCIATION. really, what you suggest is too abouinable. Lord Puddleduck got into a hansom and Swain which death may happen. Brit. str | 1716 | Browns & Co An Anglo-Chinese Dictionary, published at the Thieves at her Majesty's Drawing-room! I drove off to the dinge little den in Cursitor-Prospectus and full particulars may be had on Pembrokeshire Apl. 28 Williams. WEEK DAYS. Daily Press Office, Hongkong. SAILING VESSELS. . can't believe it. At all events, we must street where Mr. Moses Jededian carried on Leaves Leaves Leaves Amr. sb | 2134 | C. & J. Trading Co. For comprehensiveness and practical service Hongkong GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Kowloon Hongkong 27 Jordah make every effort to recover the bracelet. his amiable trade of money-lender, pawnthis Work stands unrivalled. All the new 6.0 LA.M. Acting Ageuts. Just think of the awkward position in which | broker, and bill discounter. 7.30 words which the Chinese have of late years been YOKOHAMA. Hongkong, 13th January, 1887. I shall be placed if it isn't forthcoming be- "Ah, the diamond brashelet of her lady-9.00compelled to coin to express the numerous ob-IN PORT ON SOTH APRIL. 1227 19.30 fore the end of the week. Jededish won't ship of which your lordship shpoke to me a jects in machinery, photography, telegraphy, DRENIX FIRE OFFICE **11.0**0 12.30 P.M. and in science generally, which the rapid advance 1699 | Smith Baker & Co accept anything of less value as security for | few days ago-the brashelet which her lady-12.30 P.M. 24 Chi'd of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are M., Heimann & Co ship, lost at the Drawing-room." The Undersigned are now prepared to Benarty the loan we wish to negotiate." 29 Boutillier 3.00 Simon, Evers & Co here given in extense. Each and every word is "Wretched old usurer!" breathed her Lord Puddleduck explained how the dia-GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE against | Electra 99 Madsen Apl. Brit. str | 1017 | Admuson, Bell & Co fully illustrated and explained, forming exercises monds had been returned not an bour ago; FIRE at the following Rates:-Doncaster ladyship, wrathfully. "He ought to be Flintshire for students of a most instructive nature. Both Lighthouse Department 1027 22 Allen content with a mere I.O.U. from Decimus and then went on to ask if Mr. Jedediah On First-class European Meiji Méru the Court and Printi pronunciations are given Messageries Maritimes 1273Tenements ..... at 2 % Net per Annum. Menzaleh 27 Blanc Apl. would at once advance the sum agreed on, Jardine, Matheson & Co the accents being carefully marked on the best Puddleduck." 769 On First-class Godowns. 26 Davidson 1769 | Adamson, Bell & Co. "Don't talk nonsense!" snapped her the bracelet remaining with him as security. Norden principle hitherto attained. The typography Brit. str 25| Rowler & Merchandise stored Brit. str | 1588 | Adamson, Bell & Co Pathau busband. "I will draw out the advertise. . "Shertainly, my lord, shertainly; but ash displays the success of an attempt to make the therein ...... at 1 Not per Annum Strathleven \_Pearson Jap. str 1230 Nippon Yusen Kaisha-Chinese and English type correspond in the size ment and send it off at once, so that it may a mere matter of form I must have the dia-\*There will be no Launch on Monday and On Coals .......at 1 % Net per Annum. Takasago Maru Jap., str | 1298 | Nippon Yussen Kishia of body, thereby effecting a vast economy of appear in all the papers to morrow morning." | monds examined by an expert. Yokohama M. Apl. 28 Haswell The above Time Table will be strictly adhered space, achieving a clearness not previously On Petroleum in li-Friday, on account of coaling to, except under unavoidable circumstances. In attained, and dispensing with those vast margins on First-class Chinese and vacant spaces which have heretofore charac-RAILING VESSELS. Next day the following advertisement | Lord Puddleduck's face got liery red, Brit. tk | 1109 | Walsh, Hall & Co gave rise to a good deal of comment and "Bless me! you doubt the diamond-the 219 | Shong Ho & Co celebrated Rajah's diamond given to my case of stress of weather, due notice will 21 McKao Amr. bk | 113 | Smith, Baker & Co. conjecture at numerous breakfast-tables father by his Highness the Nizam of Chud- given of any stoppages [33] terized Chinese publications. Apl. 27 Howes On Second-Class Chinese Amr. sh | 1766 | C. & J. Trading Co To the illustrate the vast scope of the work throughout the country :--Tenements......at 2½ % Net per Annum. Mar. 3 Gates Lost at her Majesty's Drawing room, a Diamond L. Schopp Brit. sh | 1276 | Smith Baker & Co MAIL TABLES. WAIL TABLES. following facts are submitted for consideration:-DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., 9 Dancan Bracelet. Large stone in centre. Engraved inside an Earl's Coronet and the initials S.P. The advertiser Neroissus Brit. bk | 1312 | Captain Chalmers' Vocabulary contains about 16.000 The wily Israelite was not to be deterred 1887 Agents for Phonix Fire Office. Apl 29 Coalfloot Plymouth. Chinese characters, and Medhurst's English by this ebullition of anger. He held to his Hongkong. 5th August, 1881. hopes the finder of the bracelet will immediately com: and Chinese Dictionary about 100,000, whilst MAIL TABLES MANILA municate with the Earl of P., at the Monarchical point, and sent an office-boy to his friend. IN FORT ON STR MAY, 1117 this work contains more than 50,000 English GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE Mrs. Mayflower and her daughter looked Joshua Golconda, requesting him to step NOW READY Culb. S.W. words, and upwards of 600,000 Chinese charac-STEAMERS. very grave as they read this. After all, then, it round to Cursitor-street at once. ASSURANCE COMPANY. 514 . W. Blodgett & C. MAIL TABLES ters. Again, despite all the grammars and other elementary works as yet published, the THE Undersigned having been appointed Diamante Meanwhile his lordship was chafing and 654 F. L. Roras Span, str seemed that Mrs. Rougement had not re-2 Marquez Agents for the above Company, are Don Juan May 591 J. Reyes fuming, and mentally anothematising the 1887. student of this difficult language absolutely re-Span. str turned the bracelet to its owner. ---May 4 Zavala prepared to GRANT POLICIES against Espans 916 F. Rozas Showing Dates of DEPARTURE of quires examples to display the various appli-"Oh, mamma, what ought I to do?" ex. caution of the astute Mr. Jedediab. But as Mar, 31 Scholtz English and French Mails from Hongcations and equivalents of different words which 406 | Chinese" FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates. 8 J. de Ajubita claimed Marjorie, in much distress. "You he was quite at that gentleman's mercy-675 W. 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